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Dear Llyr

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UK/Japan: Protocol Amending the Agreement for Co-operation in the Peaceful Uses of Nuclear Energy

You will be aware that the Legislation, Justice and Constitution Committee is responsible for monitoring the implementation of non-trade international agreements in the Sixth Senedd.

At our meeting on 13 September 2021 we considered the UK/Japan: Protocol Amending the Agreement for Co-operation in the Peaceful Uses of Nuclear Energy.

The agreement amends how the 1998 UK-Japan Nuclear Cooperation Agreement (NCA) will operate now that the UK is outside of the EU's Euratom regime and to ensure the continued peaceful uses of nuclear materials and technology.

During our consideration we agreed to draw the agreement to the attention of the Climate Change, Environment and Infrastructure Committee, particularly as regards the agreement's implications, if any, for nuclear energy in Wales.

Yours sincerely,



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Chair