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Y Llywydd
Chair, Business Committee

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Annwyl Lywydd,

Supplementary Legislative Consent Memorandum (Memorandum No 3) for the Levelling-up and Regeneration Bill

You will be aware that the Local Government and Housing Committee has been considering legislative consent memoranda in relation to the Levelling-up and Regeneration Bill and that we published a report on the original, revised and supplementary memoranda on 13 February.

On 25 April, Business Committee agreed to invite us, and three other committees, to consider Supplementary Legislative Consent Memorandum (No.3) ("SLCM No.3") and to report by 22 May. The deadline was subsequently extended to 5 June.

We considered SLCM No.3 at our meeting on 11 May and decided not to report on it. In our [report](#) on the original, revised and supplementary memoranda, we stated that "our consideration of the memoranda focused only on the provisions within our remit" and that we were "not in a position to make a recommendation on any of the other provisions in the Bill which fall within the legislative competence of the Senedd". The amendments detailed in SLCM No.3 relate to environmental outcomes reports which do not fall within the Committee's remit. On that basis, and the fact that it has been referred to other committees which may have a greater interest in these amendments, we decided not to report on the memorandum on this occasion.

I am copying this letter to the Legislation, Justice and Constitution Committee; the Economy, Trade and Rural Affairs Committee; and the Climate Change, Environment and Infrastructure Committee.

Yours sincerely

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John Griffiths MS

Chair, Local Government and Housing Committee

Croesewir gohebiaeth yn Gymraeg neu Saesneg.

We welcome correspondence in Welsh or English.

