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Update regarding the Cultural Strategy

Dear Dawn

I am writing to you with regards to the development of the forthcoming Cultural Strategy. Developing a Culture Strategy for Wales is a key Programme for Government and Co-operation Agreement commitment and as you will be aware it is of great interest to the Committee.

In your last written statement (dated 1 March 2023) you noted that stakeholders engagement was due to be completed by the end of March 2023. Are you able to provide the Committee with an outline of their initial findings? The Committee would also be grateful for a list of participants that fed into this work.

In addition, are you able to advise when the Steering Group's work is due to be concluded and when the Cultural Strategy itself will be published?

I look forward to hearing from you in due course.

Yours sincerely



Delyth Jewell MS
Committee Chair



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We welcome correspondence in Welsh or English.