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By email

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Dear Dawn,

Scrutiny of Public Service Broadcasting

You will be aware that the Committee has been undertaking general scrutiny of public service broadcasting in Wales. Having taken evidence from a wide range of stakeholders, during which we asked questions about the Welsh Government's proposals, we would also like to give you an opportunity to contribute to our deliberations. We would be interested in hearing your views on the following issues:

- When will the Welsh Government make public a decision about the establishment of a Shadow Broadcasting Authority?
- If the Welsh Government does not set up a Shadow Broadcasting Authority, will it re-allocate the specific budget allocations intended for that purpose directly to other policies to improve the provision of media for Wales?
- What is the Welsh Government's view on the sufficiency of the provision of broadcast media for Wales?
- What, if any, key policy changes would the Welsh Government like to see made at either the Wales or UK level to improve the provision of broadcast media for Wales?
- What is the Welsh Government's view on the devolution of broadcasting?

We look forward to your response in due course and would be happy to receive any additional information you may wish to share which would be of relevance to our work.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Delyth Jewell'.

Delyth Jewell MS

Committee Chair

Croesewir gohebiaeth yn Gymraeg neu Saesneg.
We welcome correspondence in Welsh or English.