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Llywodraeth Cymru
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Ein cyf/Our ref: MA/CG/5540/24

The Right Honourable Elin Jones, MS
Llywydd
Senedd Cymru
Cardiff Bay
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21 May 2024

Dear Llywydd,

Senedd Cymru (Members and Elections) Bill passed by Senedd Cymru on 8 May 2024

Thank you for your letter of 9 May 2024 reminding me of my power under section 112 of the Government of Wales Act 2006 to refer the question of whether a Senedd Bill, or any provision of such a Bill, would be within the Senedd's legislative competence to the Supreme Court for decision.

I am of the view that none of the provisions in the Senedd Cymru (Members and Elections) Bill are outside the legislative competence of Senedd Cymru and, therefore, I do not intend to make a reference.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Mick Antoniw". The signature is written in a cursive style and is underlined with a single horizontal line.

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