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Mike Hedges MS
Chair
Legislation, Justice and Constitution Committee

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Dear Mike,

Thank you for your letter of 13 November regarding the above Regulations and for sharing the Committee's views following its meeting on 4 November 2024.

I note your request for additional information to be provided to the Senedd, specifically in instances where the Welsh Government grants consent for the UK Government to exercise delegated legislative powers in a devolved area that require changes to assimilated law. I appreciate the importance of transparency in these matters, as reflected in the Inter-Institutional Relations Agreement (IIRA), and value the Committee's feedback.

Going forward, I can confirm that Written Statements published under the IIRA, when a UK Statutory Instrument is laid before the UK Parliament, will indicate the assimilated law we are aware will be amended. This will be presented as a concise sentence in the Written Statement.

Yours sincerely,

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