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Chair
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Dear Mark,

I am writing in response to your letter of 26 November setting out the results of the consultation by the Committee on possible changes to the Ministerial Code, with the consequent views of the Committee on what those changes should be.

I had already intended to review and revise the Ministerial Code as an early task for me as First Minister so it is very timely to have the thoughts of the Committee on what should be included. I will certainly consider these suggestions carefully in revising the Code. I will also, of course, have regard to recent development in the UK and Scottish Governments in relation to their own Codes, as outlined in your letter. I cannot guarantee that I will take on board every suggestion by the Committee, but I guarantee that I will consider each one carefully.

Thank you too for the invitation to give evidence to the Committee. I think that it might be difficult for me to find a slot in the immediate future, and I would need to finalise my own thinking on the Code first in any case, but a meeting at some stage in the future might be very helpful.

Yours sincerely,

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