

Rt Hon Eluned Morgan MS

First Minister of Wales

04 March 2025

Dear Eluned,

We wrote to you on 13 November 2024 about attending one of our meetings to discuss matters within our remit for which you hold ministerial responsibility. This followed our exchange of correspondence in October (namely, your letter of 28 October in response to our letter of 3 October).

Matters relating to the legislative programme, Wales and Europe and intergovernmental relations remain prominent as we approach the final year of the Sixth Senedd. As you will be aware, these are matters which are within your ministerial responsibility, and are not matters which are the responsibility of any other government minister or the Counsel General. We therefore think it would be appropriate for you to appear before the Committee to discuss these matters as soon as is practicably possible.

We acknowledge that matters relating to intergovernmental relations may be discussed at the next meeting of the Committee for the Scrutiny of the First Minister. However, we would like to explore this important issue in detail and collectively as a Committee, alongside the other matters referred to above.

In making this further request we note that you gave evidence on 12 February 2025 to the Welsh Affairs Committee in the House of Commons on the work of the Welsh Government, including matters relating to intergovernmental relations.



I look forward to receiving a response from you by 20 March, so that arrangements may be made to accommodate this session on a date suitable for you and for the Committee.

Yours sincerely,



Mike Hedges

Chair