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Dear Bill

Thank you for your letter of 6 February regarding the petition submitted by Dr Tymandra Blewitt-Silcock regarding the funding of equipment and services for tube-fed children.

I was sorry to read families caring for tube fed children are facing difficulties in accessing the support and equipment they need, and appreciate how frustration a situation this must be for them.

The provision of essential equipment for tube-fed children is the responsibility of Health Boards in Wales. In the circumstances, therefore, if you are able to provide further information about the difficulties Dr Blewitt-Silcock and the other petitioners have experienced in obtaining such equipment, I shall ask my officials to investigate.

Regards
Lesley

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