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CC: Jenny Rathbone MS, Chair, Equality and Social Justice
Committee

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Dear Minister,

Petition P-06-1530 Save Childcare Provision in Wales – Demand Fair Funding and a Fair Process for Providers and Parent

The Petitions Committee met on 14 July and considered the above petition, submitted by Lisa Owen.

Members agreed that I would write to you to highlight and seek a response to the petitioner's comments. The petition will be kept open pending your response. It was also noted that the Equality and Social Justice Committee has conducted a lot of work on this issue and it was agreed to also highlight the petitioner's views to that Committee for awareness – the Committee chair is copied in to this letter.

The full details of the Committee's consideration of the petition, including the correspondence and the actions agreed by the Committee can be found here: [P-06-1530 Save Childcare Provision in Wales – Demand Fair Funding and a Fair Process for Providers and Parent](#)

I would be grateful if you could send any response by e-mail to the clerking team at petitions@senedd.wales.

Yours sincerely



Carolyn Thomas MS
Chair

Croesewir gohebiaeth yn Gymraeg neu Saesneg.

We welcome correspondence in Welsh or English.

