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Dear William,

I am writing to provide an update on the A487 Dyfi Bridge. Since taking on the transport portfolio, I have had the opportunity to review investment in transport in light of its contribution to my wider economic development priorities. I refer you to my written statement of 10 July:

http://wales.gov.uk/about/cabinet/cabinetstatements/2013/transport/?lang=en

A study to investigate ways of reducing the frequency of road closures from flooding has already commenced. As this is seen as a short term solution, I have also earmarked funding to investigate improvements to the Dyfi Bridge.

The investigation will consider in more detail four options identified from previous work and will enable me to determine the most appropriate solution to the current problems.

