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## P-04-439 Ancient Veteran and Heritage Trees of Wales

Thank you for your letter received by email on 8 April regarding the above. Please note the following in response to your questions:

## • Structure and membership of the Group

The Task and Finish Group comprises individuals drawn from the public, private and voluntary sectors, each with expertise and experience in relation to the protection of trees in Wales. The Group's membership is annexed to this letter. The Group is supported by my officials in the Forest Policy Team.

## Consider adding a nominee from Coed Cadw

You will note from the Group's membership that there are two representatives from Coed Cadw/Woodland Trust participating as members on the Group.

## • The findings of the Group

I will inform your Committee of the Group's findings following their report to me, which will be at the conclusion of their work.

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