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Dear William,

Thank you for your letter of 13 November following correspondence from Ms. Lisa Winnett regarding petition P-04-500 (Call For Regulation of Animal Welfare Establishments in Wales).

As stated previously, my officials have met with the Chair of the Animal Welfare Network Wales (AWNW) to discuss the matter of Animal Welfare Establishments and how to ensure they meet their duty of care to the animals in their keepership. The AWWN agreed to explore options other than legislation and report back to me with updated recommendations and supporting evidence in due course. The next meeting of the group to discuss this matter is 16 December; my officials will be in attendance in an observer capacity.

*Yn,
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