

Rt Hon Mark Drakeford MS

First Minister of Wales

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Dear Mark

### Inter-Institutional Relations Agreement

We met this week to discuss and agree our ways of working and early business for this Sixth Senedd. We agreed that one of our early priorities is to seek to put in place an Inter-Institutional Relations Agreement for the Sixth Senedd which, like the Agreement in the Fifth Senedd, would cover the information that the Welsh Government would, where appropriate, provide to the Senedd with regard to its own participation in formal, ministerial level inter-governmental meetings, concordats, agreements and memorandums of understanding.

My purpose in writing is therefore to seek your in principle agreement to resurrect the Agreement and if so, to suggest that the Clerking team contact relevant officials in the Welsh Government to explore any changes that may be necessary, prior to it being formalised and drawn to the attention of the Senedd.

I look forward to hearing from you at the earliest opportunity,

Yours sincerely



Huw Irranca-Davies

Chair

