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Dear Mike,

I am pleased to inform you that the Senedd Cymru (Disqualification) Order 2025, which was agreed by the Senedd on 21 October, was made by the Privy Council on 12 November and came into force on 13 November.

A copy of the Order can be found on the legislation.gov.uk website at the attached address: [The Senedd Cymru \(Disqualification\) Order 2025](#).

The Senedd Cymru (Disqualification) Order 2025 designates offices the holders of which are disqualified from being a Member of the Senedd (but not from being a candidate to be a Member of the Senedd). The offices are described in the Schedule to the Order.

This Order will revoke and replace the Senedd Cymru (Disqualification) Order 2020 with effect from an election at which the poll is held on or after 6 April 2026.

Additional disqualifying offices, together with categories of person disqualified from being a Member, or a candidate to be a Member, of the Senedd, are prescribed by section 16 of, and Schedule 1A to, the Government of Wales Act 2006.

Yours sincerely,

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