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Dear Alun

## **Wales Bill**

As you will appreciate, the UK Government's Wales Bill is of great interest and importance to the Assembly.

We are undertaking an inquiry into this legislation and our work will help inform the Assembly's consideration of the Legislative Consent Motion(s) that will have to be tabled in accordance with the Assembly's Standing Orders.

It will greatly help our scrutiny if you are able to give evidence to us as you have the prime responsibility for the Bill.

We would like to hold a session in early July and it would last no longer than an hour. There is flexibility on the date and timing of the session dependent on your diary, although should it be easier, we could arrange to take evidence via video-conference.



I hope you will look favourably on this request and look forward to hearing from you soon.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "David Melding". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long, sweeping underline.

**David Melding AM**  
**Chair**

Croesewir gohebiaeth yn Gymraeg neu Saesneg.  
We welcome correspondence in Welsh or English.

