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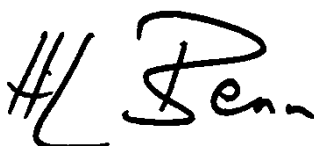
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Dear David,

Thank you for your letter of 9 February requesting that the Committee on Exiting the EU share the UK Government's EU Exit Analysis: Cross-Whitehall Briefing with your Committee on a confidential basis.

The Committee considered this request yesterday and agreed that it would be happy to share the documents in full on the basis set out in your letter. The Committee staff will be in contact with your office to discuss appropriate arrangements for the documents to be shared.

I would add that the Committee also agreed yesterday that it was minded to publish the documents in full, but has written to the Secretary of State to ask whether there are any specific details that he would wish to redact on the basis that they were either sensitive to the negotiations, market-sensitive or commercially confidential.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'H/ Benn', written in a cursive style.

Rt Hon Hilary Benn MP
Chair