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**National Assembly for Wales**  
Children, Young People and Education Committee

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Elin Jones, AM  
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National Assembly for Wales

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Dear Elin

### **Resourcing for Brexit scrutiny**

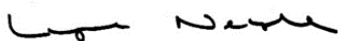
Thank you for your letter of 16 March regarding the likely workload for the Children, Young People and Education Committee resulting from Brexit. The Committee considered this at its meeting on 18 April.

The Committee has agreed undertake an initial inquiry on the Impact of Brexit on Higher and Further Education, which will run during summer 2018. This inquiry will be accommodated within the Committee's existing programme and staffing resources.

Alongside this, the Committee will continue to mainstream Brexit-related matters into its general, policy and legislative scrutiny, pursuing relevant areas as and when they arise. At this stage we do not anticipate this work displacing other key activity nor leaving Members or the Committee lacking capacity.

Any additional CYPE-specific Brexit related work could displace other areas of work and require additional Member and staff capacity. Such areas might include subordinate legislation, legislative consent motions, UK Frameworks, and Orders in Council or the impact on devolved areas of future trade or EU-UK relationships on areas within the Committee's remit. Given the uncertainty relating to these areas, the Committee would reserve judgement at this stage but in the meantime we would not wish to see a reduction in the Committee's meeting time and/or supporting resources.

Yours sincerely



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