Dear Jeremy

**Order in Council to be made under section 109 of the Government of Wales Act 2006**

In his letter to us of 11 March 2019, the First Minister made reference to a possible forthcoming section 109 Order. The First Minister stated:

> You will know that there has been an exchange of Ministerial correspondence with the Wales Office about a s109 Order to address the unintended restrictions on the Assembly’s competence created by powers conferred in EU Exit SIs.

I would be grateful if you would provide further information about the Ministerial correspondence referenced by the First Minister and the current state of discussions regarding the use of a section 109 Order to address the restrictions on the National Assembly’s competence created by EU Exit statutory instruments.

Yours sincerely

Mick Antoniw AM  
Chair

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We welcome correspondence in Welsh or English.