

Rt Hon Mark Drakeford MS

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Dear Mark

I am writing following the second review point on our social distancing measures. The outcome of this review has seen our continuing commitment to a four-nation response to tackling Covid-19, with some divergence in the margins.

This has only been possible because of the unprecedented levels of engagement between our two governments. I am pleased that you and members of your ministerial team have joined meetings of COBR(M) and the Ministerial Implementation Groups which are central to the UK government's decision making.

I believe that in the spirit of continued cooperation between our two governments, and to maintain a UK wide approach moving forward, it would be valuable if a representative from my office could attend the equivalent structures you have put in place in the Welsh Government. This could also include meetings of the Counsel General's external advisory group on Wales's recovery from the pandemic.

Yours sincerely

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