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Permanent Secretary

By email

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Wednesday 03 February 2021

Dear Permanent Secretary,

**Subject: Welsh Government Public Sector Equality Duty**

We write further to our earlier correspondence and in our role as the regulator for the public sector equality duty in Wales. We have noted that there have been no equality impact assessments published with any of the regulations, announcements or guidance produced by Welsh Government in relation to Coronavirus since 14<sup>th</sup> December 2020. Since that date there have been significant restrictions placed upon the people of Wales. Without published EIAs it is difficult to see how the impact on groups with protected characteristics have been considered.

You assured me when we met in September 2020 that you would ensure that

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equality impact assessments would be produced and published. I would be grateful if you could confirm what arrangements are being made to do so.

We were due to meet to discuss and I am happy to discuss this matter further or to meet with you if you would find it helpful.

Yours sincerely,

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