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*Sean David*

I am writing in response to your letter of 30 June with regard to the Constitutional and Legislative Affairs Committee report on the Legislative Consent Memorandum in relation to the Wales Bill.

I note that within your consideration of clause 8 of the Wales Bill, the Committee has recommended that the Business Committee look at amending Standing Order 29, to include the conferral of functions upon the Assembly within its scope.

As you will be aware any change would require discussion between the Welsh and UK Governments. At this week's meeting, Business Committee decided they were content for officials to work with the Welsh Government to take forward this recommendation. A paper will be brought to a future meeting to update Business Managers on progress made.

*Rosemary*

**Dame Rosemary Butler AM**  
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