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Dear William,

Thank you for your letter 21 April to the Deputy Minister for Culture, Sport and Tourism regarding Save Cardiff Coal Exchange's petition. I am replying in light of my portfolio responsibilities.

The initial feasibility study that we have commissioned is looking into the stabilisation, preservation and potential future re-use of the Coal Exchange building. The contractor is working alongside my officials from both EST and CADW and it is expected that the initial study will be concluded by the end of May.

As requested, I am happy to keep the Committee up date on any future developments.

Edwina Hart