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Dear Elin,

Further to my letter of 16 April, the Attorney General has now withdrawn the UK Government's reference of the European Union (Wales) Bill to the Supreme Court.

I am writing therefore to confirm that I do not intend to exercise the power under section 114 of the Government of Wales Act 2006 to make an order preventing the Bill from being submitted for approval by Her Majesty in Council.

I am copying this letter to the Chief Executive and Clerk of the Assembly.

Yours,



Rt Hon Alun Cairns MP
Secretary of State for Wales
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