P-04-513 Save the Wrexham/Barmouth X94 bus service -Correspondence from Arriva Buses Wales to the Clerk, 17.12.2013

Good morning Mr George

Thank you for your letter of 6th December 2013, reference P-04-513.

As you may be aware, Service X94 was put out to tender by Gwynedd County Council following our decision to withdraw the route from our commercial operations.

We understand that the contract has now been let, though, despite the fact that there are staff redundancies effective this weekend, Gwynedd County Council have not told us that we have not been successful.

Gwynedd County Council will be able to let you know which company has been awarded the temporary contract for this service.

Services that we have withdrawn in South Cambria between Aberystwyth and Carmarthen via Lampeter and between Aberystwyth and New Quay/Synod Inn have been let by Ceredigion County Council and will continue to operate after 21st December. These services are provided on behalf of Ceredigion CC by First South Wales, Lewis of Llanrhystudd and Richards Brothers.

I understand that the Traws Cymru Network Manager is looking at the best means to provide these services in a substantive form after June 2014.

I trust that this answers your query but please do feel free to come back to me if you wish to know more.

With Kindest Regards

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