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Dear Ms Antoniazzi

Trade Union (Wales) Bill passed by the National Assembly for Wales on 18 July 2017

Thank you for your letter of 19 July 2017 reminding me of my power under section 112 of the Government of Wales Act 2006 to refer the question of whether an Assembly Bill, or any provision of a Bill, would be within the Assembly's legislative competence to the Supreme Court for decision.

I am of the view that none of the provisions in the Trade Union (Wales) Bill are outside the legislative competence of the National Assembly for Wales and, therefore, I do not intend to make a reference.

Yours sincerely,

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