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Dear James,

Thank you for your recent Written Questions asking if I mentioned Wales having the longest NHS waiting lists in the United Kingdom at the recent World Health Organisation event that I attended in Copenhagen.

In March, I undertook a two-day visit to Copenhagen following an invitation to participate in the World Health Organization (WHO) Europe Region's High-Level Forum on Health in the Well-Being Economy. This invitation was the result of ongoing cooperation between Wales and the WHO, based on a Memorandum of Understanding signed by the Welsh Government and the WHO Europe Region in 2020.

I took part in Session 7 titled 'A Well-being Economy Approach to Healing Social Fractures' where I did not mention Wales having the longest NHS waiting lists in the United Kingdom.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'M. E. Morgan'.

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