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Annwyl Alun Ffred,

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Plenary Question – Tir Cynnal Budget

On 1 December 2004, in a supplementary question to the Finance Minister, you enquired about the quantity of Treasury Funding that will be attracted to the Tir Cynnal scheme in 2005-06. As the Minister with financial responsibility for the Tir Cynnal scheme, your question has been passed to me for reply.

AT EPC Committee on 3 November, it was announced that £1.5 million will be allocated to the Tir Cynnal scheme and this will be supported by match funding from HM Treasury. For future years, it is difficult to predict expenditure on Tir Cynnal given that the rate of take-up by farmers is yet unknown, but match funding has been committed for the period covered by the recent Spending Review.

I have copied my response to the Minister for Finance, Local Government and Public Services.

Yours sincerely,

Carwyn Jones AM



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