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Dear Adam,

I am writing in response to WQ94843 a WQ94851: *Will the proposed devolution of youth justice include an amendment to the Government of Wales Act 2006 to remove the reservation of criminal responsibility? (WQ94843) Does the Welsh Government intend to raise the issue of increasing the age of criminal responsibility when discussing the devolution of youth justice with the UK Government? (WQ94851)*

We look forward to discussing the devolution of youth justice with the UK government, following their manifesto commitment. We expect to consider all elements of the youth justice system as part of these discussions, including the age of criminal responsibility.

I hope this answers your questions.

Yours sincerely,

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