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Dear Gareth

Draft National Assembly for Wales (Legislative Competence) (Highways and Transport) Order 2011

I am writing to formally notify you that the Draft National Assembly for Wales (Legislative Competence) (Highways and Transport) Order 2011 was laid before Parliament for pre-legislative scrutiny on 3 February. The draft Order will now be considered by the Welsh Affairs Committee and the House of Lords Constitution Committee.

As you are aware, the Wales Office, through the Secretary of State for Wales, is responsible for presenting draft Legislative Competence Orders to Parliament and facilitating the passage of these draft Orders through the legislative scrutiny process. The timetable for pre-legislative scrutiny process by both the Welsh Affairs and Lords Constitution Committees is a matter for them to determine.

After the Committees have concluded their scrutiny and reported, their reports will be considered before a final draft version of the LCO is laid before the Assembly. The draft LCO will then have to be formally approved by the National Assembly and both Houses of Parliament.

I have asked that my officials continue to keep the Committee updated.

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