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Mr David Stewart C/o Public Petitions Clerks Room T3.40 The Scottish Parliament Edinburgh EH99 1SP

Dear Mr Stewart

I am writing to thank you for giving me the opportunity to speak at the recent Public Petitions Committee in relation to the Glasgow Evening Time's Opt for Life petition (PE1453).

I enjoyed the opportunity to highlight the changes that are taking place in Wales. I hope that my contributions in relation to the Human Transplantation (Wales) Act 2013 were useful to the Committee and provided some further information and clarification around implementing this sort of legislation. I certainly enjoyed the discussions.

I was also pleased to hear about the positive and proactive attitude that the Scottish Government shows towards organ donation. It was good to hear about the support the Scottish public have shown for organ donation; which I hope will continue into the future.

The Welsh Government is happy to offer advice and support going forwards if you undertake further investigation.

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