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Dear Ms Davies

Coronavirus and Scotland: Interim Report on Intergovernmental Working

I am writing to say that Ministers and officials in the Office of the Secretary of State for Scotland and elsewhere in the UK Government have studied the Scottish Affairs Committee's interim report carefully. I know that the Secretary of State and Mr Ross were very pleased to appear before the Committee on 14 May and more recently the Secretary of State and Mr Stewart on 17 September. The latter hearing covered aspects of the interim report. The Government also provided written evidence to the Committee in June. We do not intend to provide a written response to the interim report but will of course do so when the Committee publishes its final report later in the autumn.

If the Office can provide the Committee with any further assistance with its inquiry please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Yours sincerely

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