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Dear Dame Jackie Doyle-Price

Business Plan 2024-25

Congratulations on your appointment as Chair of PACAC.

As Registrar of Consultant Lobbyists I am accountable to Parliament under the Transparency of Lobbying, Non-Party Campaigning and Trade Union Administration Act 2014. I generally fulfil this accountability through PACAC and therefore attach a copy of my recently agreed business plan for the current year.

The plan largely sets out incremental improvements in lobbying transparency which my Office can achieve within the current law. The plan expresses my concerns about the missed opportunities of the post-legislative scrutiny process. I was therefore pleased to see PACAC's recent *Fourth Report - Lobbying and Influence: post-legislative scrutiny of the Lobbying Act 2014 and related matters*. This was very helpful in drawing attention to opportunities to support the transparency aims of the Act.

Do let me know if I can provide you with any further information.

Yours sincerely



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