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Dear Paul,

Westminster Acts Containing Provisions on Devolved Matters Yet To Be Commenced

Thank you for your letter of 1 July 2020 which asked the Committee on Procedures to consider whether there is a need for a mechanism to be put in place to establish the views of, and consent from, the Assembly regarding the commencement of provisions in Acts relating to devolved matters where, if the legislation had not already completed its passage through Westminster, a LCM would be required.

Prior to the Covid-19 pandemic, you may recall that the Committee on Procedures had initiated an Inquiry into the LCM process. I am pleased to inform you that the Committee has recommenced its Inquiry and has agreed to include this issue as part of its consideration.

Yours sincerely,

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Chairperson, Committee on Procedures.**