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Dear Neil

**MEMORANDUM OF REPLY UPDATE: PUBLIC PROCUREMENT IN NI**

At its meeting on 12 March 2026, the Committee considered the Department's correspondence dated 3 March 2026, providing a response to questions raised following consideration of the most recent update to the MOR on Public Procurement in Northern Ireland.

The Committee noted your Department's response and agreed to request a further consolidated update in six months' time. Members have also stipulated that this update should include clearer evidence of the impact of these reforms in practice, including any measurable efficiency savings or improvements in value for money.

Yours sincerely,

**Daniel McCrossan**  
Chairperson  
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