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Dear Linda

I am responding on behalf of the Alliance Party.

We believe Proxy Voting should be retained.

The Alliance Party propose the following is considered by the Committee, in order to reduce red tape:

Each Party may submit a rota of member names to act as proxy to the Business Committee. This may be a weekly or monthly rota updated in September annually.

A member, unable to attend plenary in person, must write to the Business Office confirming they wish their vote to be cast by their Party's nominated Proxy for XX dates or until XX date.

Having spoken to the Business Office, they have confirmed the above proposal is a workable solution for them.

Thanks

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