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Dear Mr Pengelly

Public Accounts Committee Evidence Session

I am writing to inform you that you are requested to attend the Committee's meeting on **Thursday 30 September 2021, at 2:15 pm in Parliament Buildings**. If this date does not suit, the Committee can also offer you alternative dates of 14 or 21 October 2021.

The subject will be the NIAO Report 'Addiction Services. The focus of the inquiry will be to explore the issues raised in the NIAO report.

I should be grateful if you would confirm your attendance by **Friday, 16 July 2021** and the date which you prefer to attend. Please also provide the names of any other officials who will be supporting you at the meeting.

Please note any supporting officials may be required to attend the meeting virtually via Starleaf due to ongoing COVID restrictions, however guidance may change in regards to this in the coming weeks and a member of PAC staff will be in touch in regards to this closer to the time.

Please provide a short biography and picture for yourself and your supporting official as background information to the Committee. For Hansard purposes can you please provide a contact e-mail, office address and telephone number.

Please respond to the email address above.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "William J. Humphrey". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looping final flourish.

**William Humphrey MLA MBE
Chairperson
Public Accounts Committee**