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Mr Shane McAteer  
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Room 419  
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**Dear Shane,**

### **LEGISLATIVE CONSENT MOTION – PROPOSED CAP ON PUBLIC SECTOR EXIT PAYMENTS**

The Committee wrote to the Department on 3<sup>rd</sup> December seeking an urgent response to correspondence it received from the Education Authority and Unison on the above matter.

The matters raised in the letter from the Education Authority have already been the subject of correspondence with the Committee and the Department has nothing further to add.

The letter from Unison deals with the Committee's Report and sets out Unison's opposition to the proposed cap on Exit Payments. The Department considers that the substance of the Committee's report is entirely a matter for the Committee to respond to. The other points made by Unison have already been addressed by the Department.

Yours sincerely

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