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Annwyl Gareth,

**The Enterprise and Learning Committee - Proposed National Assembly for Wales  
(Legislative Competence) (Highways and Transport) Order**

I would like to inform you that I have written to the Secretary of State for Transport, copied to Secretary of State for Wales. The letter gives notice of the Welsh Assembly Government's intention to support the Enterprise and Learning Committee's proposed Order on the provision by Highway Authorities of routes for use solely or principally by any one or more of the following: pedestrians; cyclists; and persons on horseback or leading a horse.

I have also agreed to my officials sharing the proposed Order and Explanatory Memorandum with UK Government officials to facilitate the negotiations.

I understand that our officials are working closely together and the Welsh Assembly Government's intention is to seek agreement with the UK Government on the proposed Order, so that it can proceed for pre legislative scrutiny in Westminster. Once this process has been completed, the aim will be to finalise the draft Order so that the Enterprise and Learning Committee are in a position to introduce the draft Order into the National Assembly in early 2011.

Yn gywir

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Ieuan'.

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**Gweinidog dros yr Economi a Thrafnidiaeth**  
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