

16 December 2008

Chris Reading
Clerk, Independent Panel on Members Pay and Allowances
Cardiff Bay
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Dear Sir

Call for Evidence

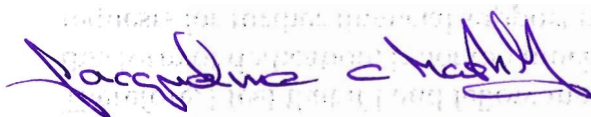
Regarding your letter received by Overton Community Council for comments regarding the above review.

On behalf of our community, I am expressing our dismay that The Assembly should even consider having a review of this nature during the current economical climate. Many people believe that not only are M.P's and A.M's overpaid for the amount of work and the hours delivered but also they do not give value for the monies received.

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Therefore, I feel that if I and fellow members of community councils can apply this form of dedication, it not too much to request that The Assembly delay any requests for further financial support until our economy is in a more stable condition.

Yours faithfully



J.C Maskall (Mrs)
Councillor

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