DRAFT LETTER FOR SIGNATURE BY PS/PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL

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Thank you for your letter of 4 July enclosing one of the same date to the Speaker of the House of Commons.

As the matters you raised are for the House authorities and not the Government the President of the Council does not believe that it would be appropriate to accede to your request for a meeting with you at this stage, but she looks forward to hearing the outcome of your meeting with the Speaker.