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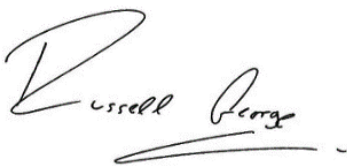
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Dear Professor Di Florio

The Health and Social Care Committee has identified women's health as one of its strategic priorities for the Sixth Senedd. As part of our ongoing interest on this issue, Sarah Murphy MS, who is a member of the Committee, has raised concerns about the way data is recorded in the SAIL databank, and specifically mentioned problems you have been having using it for menopause research.

We will be holding a general scrutiny session with the Minister for Health and Social Services in the autumn term, which could provide an opportunity to explore this issue with her. It would be helpful if you were able to provide us with details of the issues you have experienced by 15 September 2023, to help inform that session.

Yours sincerely



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Chair, Health and Social Care Committee

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