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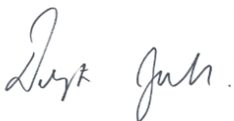
UNESCO Convention for the Safeguarding of the Intangible Cultural Heritage

Dear Lord Goldsmith,

Our Committee has recently considered the UK Government's plans to ratify the UNESCO Convention for the Safeguarding of the Intangible Cultural Heritage. We have agreed to maintain a watching brief over implementation of the convention as it relates to devolved matters falling within our remit. We await with interest the findings of the UK Government's public consultation on the first stage of the convention's implementation. I write to share with you the **responses** we have received from the Welsh and UK Governments about the involvement of the devolved administrations in these plans and the anticipated benefits of the convention for our shared cultural heritage.

We welcome the International Agreement Committee's support in the securing of international agreements, and we will continue to copy you into future correspondence on matters of shared interest. I am copying this letter to the Chair of the Senedd's Legislation, Justice and Constitution Committee.

Yours sincerely



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Committee Chair

Croesewir gohebiaeth yn Gymraeg neu Saesneg.

We welcome correspondence in Welsh or English.