Finance Committee
Consideration of powers: Public Services Ombudsman for Wales
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Committee Clerk, Finance Committee, National Assembly for Wales, Cardiff Bay, CF99 1NA

Date: 11th February, 2015

Dear Sir,

## Re: Proposed Amendments to the Public Services Ombudsman (Wales) Act 2005

I have been instructed by the council to forward its response with reference to the above:

The council is in full agreement of speeding up the service provided by the Ombudsman (in particular by introducing the provision of access via oral complaints). However, it is very concerned at the cost of change which seems inordinately high, particularly the salaries quoted. The council asks for clarification as to why the salaries are set at such a high rate.

Yours sincerely,

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