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Dear Claire,

**INTIMATION OF BILL PASSED BY THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY FOR WALES
– THE VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN, DOMESTIC ABUSE AND SEXUAL
VIOLENCE (WALES) BILL**

I am writing in response to your letter of 11 March 2015 in which you informed me that the above Bill was passed by the Assembly on 10 March 2015.

You asked me if I intended to make an order under section 114 of the Government of Wales Act 2006 which would prevent the Bill from being submitted for Royal Assent. I can confirm that I will not be exercising this power.

Rt Hon. Stephen Crabb ~~MP~~
Secretary of State for Wales