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Jean Leslie,

Thank you for your letter regarding discussions in advance of next year's Scottish Parliament elections. I am happy to take up your offer.

While I feel substantive discussions should wait until January, I am happy to make initial contact – whether in person or over telephone – before the Parliament breaks for Christmas recess.

To that end, I'd be grateful if your office were able to contact mine so that a suitable time may be arranged.

Yours sincerely,

Ruth Davidson MSP
Leader of the Scottish Conservative & Unionist Party