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Copies of correspondence found between the Cabinet Secretary or her representatives and unions relating to local government staff's role during the pandemic crisis

Ms Campbell's reply to UNISON letter of 5 January - dated 19 January 2021



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Ms Campbell's reply to COSLA WIG letter of 28 May 2020 – dated 8 June 2020



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Subject: Cab Sec attendance at WIG - 28 May

Dear Johanna and Drew

I have been asked by the Cabinet Secretary for Communities and Local Government, Aileen Campbell to advise you that she has been stood down by COSLA from attending tomorrow's Workforce Issues Group meeting. We understand that the meeting tomorrow will predominantly be addressing the focus and format of the WIG meetings going forward and that this was agreed by the group yesterday.

We have been informed that Ms Campbell will still be invited to future meetings when and where there are appropriate matters to reflect from the workforce. Ms Campbell is happy to continue to engage with the group whenever you feel her attendance would be beneficial and her private office have committed to continuing to protect the time in her diary for future weeks/meetings.

We look forward to engaging with you in future and hope your discussions go well tomorrow.

Thanks

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