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Dear [Redacted],

Thank you for your emails on 12 November to Carwyn Jones, First Minister, Alun Davies AM and Dafydd Elis Thomas AM, regarding the Welsh Government's decision to allow the planning appeal for Hendy Wind Farm, near Llandrindod Wells. The decision was made on 25 October 2018. Your letter has been transferred to the Planning Directorate and I have been asked to reply.

I refer you to correspondence you have previously received from the Minister for Energy, Planning and Rural Affairs dated 7 November which states as the Minister responsible for planning the Minister for Energy, Planning and Rural Affairs is entitled to disagree with the recommendation of the Inspector and anyone who wishes to question the decision and the reasoning behind it may do so through the Courts, the deadline for doing so ends on 6 December.

The Welsh Ministers are unable to provide any further comment on the decision as, under planning law, the Welsh Ministers' decision on the appeal is final and it is not possible for me, or anyone else within the Welsh Government or the Planning Inspectorate, to comment on the merits of the decision, the reasoning behind it, or to reconsider it.

Yours Sincerely,

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