

Procedure Committee

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On behalf of all of the Members who participated in our visit last week, I would like to express our thanks for the extremely valuable discussions we had with you and the rest of the Legislation, Justice and Constitution Committee – all the more so for being able to meet in person.

It was clear from our discussions that the way in which legislative consent is sought and provided leaves much to be desired. My Committee will consider our discussion and decide what information may be helpful to request from the UK Government in order to ensure that any future report is properly informed.

It was also very helpful to discuss the current status of interparliamentary relations, as well as the options that exist to improve cooperation between the committees of the Senedd and the House of Commons.

We now plan to visit Edinburgh in order to continue discussions on House of Commons procedure and the territorial constitution. My Committee will consider the options for how the procedures of the House of Commons could be adapted and look forward to continuing discussing with you and your colleagues further in future.

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Rt Hon Karen Bradley MP Chair of the Procedure Committee