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National Assembly for Wales,  
Petitions Committee,  
Cardiff Bay,  
Cardiff  
CF99 1NA.

Your Ref/Eich Cyf: P-03-205  
Our Ref/Ein Cyf: SKFG  
Date/Dyddiad: 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2011  
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Dear Sirs,

**Re: Abergavenny Livestock Market**

Thank you for your letter dated 18<sup>th</sup> March enquiring on progress with the application for repeal of the Abergavenny Improvement Acts.

I can advise that in consultation with officers of the Assembly, it was agreed some time ago that an appropriate "trigger" to request repeal would be the granting of planning consent to redevelop the current livestock market area. As you will be aware the Council has both land and a valid planning consent, with site works having commenced, for the relocation of the market to a new facility near Raglan.

Planning applications for the redevelopment of the Abergavenny site have now been submitted by Morrisons (for a superstore) and the Council (for a new Library). The expectation is for these to be considered by the Local Planning Authority towards the end of May.

Obviously there has been extensive discretionary and statutory consultation on the proposals. In terms of the repeal itself, the Minister for Social Justice and Local Government has previously advised his intention for his officers to manage the necessary consultation with key stakeholders and users.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if I can be of any further assistance

Yours sincerely

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