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Sefydliadau Lles Anifeiliaid

Diolch am eich llythyr am Ddeiseb P-04-500 sy'n Galw am Reoleiddio Sefydliadau Lles Anifeiliaid yng Nghymru.

Rwy'n ymwybodol o'r adroddiad 'The Case for the Regulation of Animal Welfare Establishments in Wales' gan Rwydwaith Lles Anifeiliaid Cymru (AWNW); yn wir, bu fy swyddogion yn bresennol yng nghyfarfodydd y gweithgor ac maent wrthi'n adolygu'r argymhellion a gynigir yn yr adroddiad. Byddaf innau'n ystyried yr argymhellion maes o law.

O safbwynt sylw'r deisebwr "Mae mwy a mwy o anifeiliaid yn cael eu cam-drin a'u hesgeuluso ac yn cael eu magu mewn sefydliadau heb eu rheoleiddio sy'n hysbysebu fel Canolfannau Achub'. Ni wn am unrhyw ystadegau yn adroddiad AWNW sy'n cefnogi neu'n gwrthod hynny.

Byddai diddordeb gennyf weld unrhyw dystiolaeth neu wybodaeth gefndir y gellid ei defnyddio fel rhan o ymrwymiad Llywodraeth Cymru i godi safonau lles anifeiliaid ar draws nifer o feysydd, hwn yn eu plith.

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Dear Sir,

Animal Welfare Establishments

Thank you for your letter, regarding Petition P-04-500 Call for Regulation of Animal Welfare Establishments in Wales.

I am aware of the report 'The Case for the Regulation of Animal Welfare Establishments in Wales', published by the Animal Welfare Network Wales (AWNW); indeed, my officials observed the working group meetings and are currently reviewing the recommendations put forward in the report. I will consider recommendations in due course.

With regard to the petitioner's comment "More and more animals are suffering abuse, neglect and are being bred from in unregulated establishments who advertise as a Rescue Centre", I am not aware of any statistics included in the AWNW report to support that or separately.

I would though be interested in any evidence or background information that could be provided as part of the Welsh Government's commitment to raise standards on animal welfare across a number of areas, including this one.

Yours ever
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