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Subject: POC4 827242 - for info only?

Hi,

Would you be able to have a look at this and let me know whether you feel it needs a reply?

Many thanks,

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Subject: RE: POC4 827242 - for info only?

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Apologies for the fact I have been calling your number instead of [REDACTED]

I think a warm thank you would be appropriate and suggest the following:

Thank you for your letter of 29 November and support for the action we have taken on standardised tobacco packaging.

We want an independent view on whether the introduction of standardised packaging is likely to have an effect on public health and we want to know about the likely effect for young people in particular, which is why we have commissioned a review.

I can assure you that the Government will reach a decision quickly following publication of Sir Cyril Chantler's report next March. We are also tabling Government amendments in the Children and Families Bill now, so that we will be able to act without delay, if the decision made is to proceed.

Jane Ellison

Thanks

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