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Chris Sanger  
Chair, Tax Professionals Forum

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Dear Chris,

Please accept my thanks to you and the other members of the Tax Professionals Forum (TPF) for your work in producing the 2024 report on the government's approach to tax policy making, which has been published on the GOV.UK site.

As you are aware, I am today publishing updated principles setting out the government's approach to tax policy making and consultation. Ensuring the tax system supports the Government's missions by creating the conditions for economic growth is my top priority and having a robust and agile tax policy making process is crucial to this. These principles set out how the Government will deliver tax changes quickly, whilst engaging with taxpayers fully.

This will be facilitated by ensuring that ministers and officials work effectively with tax professionals and wider stakeholders in a dynamic and flexible way. Over the last few months, I have greatly benefited from hearing feedback directly from a diverse range of stakeholders, including members of the TPF, through the many roundtables I have hosted and events that I have attended with tax professionals.

As part of the updated principles on tax policy making, this government is committing this more agile way of engaging with as diverse a group of stakeholders as possible. As such, I have decided to disband the Tax Professionals Forum in favour of this more frequent and flexible model of engagement.

I am hugely grateful to you and the other members for the excellent contributions the Forum has made to tax policy making since 2010, and for the support you have provided to officials and me since I took office. I look forward to continuing to work with you, your fellow TPF members and the wider community of tax professionals to ensure that we continue to improve tax policy making.

Yours sincerely,



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James Murray MP  
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