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Deputy Ian Gorst, Minister for External Relations

BY EMAIL

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Dear Minister,

Legislative Programme for 2025

As we begin 2025, the Panel is keen to receive updates on the pieces of legislation within your remit that are expected to be lodged during the remainder of the political term. We would appreciate a detailed overview of the scope and progress, as well as the anticipated timelines, for any legislation you will be bringing forward, as well as any previously anticipated legislation that you have paused. Where the decision has been made to pause or delay the lodging of legislation, could you please provide the reasoning for this decision.

Your cooperation in providing these updates will greatly assist the Panel in its ongoing work and planning for the year ahead. The Panel would be grateful to receive a formal written response by no later than 24 February 2025 in line with the 5 working days approved for responses between Scrutiny Panels and Ministers.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me. Please note that unless otherwise stated, all letters will be uploaded to the Scrutiny website as a matter of course.

We look forward to hearing from you.

Yours sincerely,

Deputy Montfort Tadier

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