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Petition by Sharon McCluskie, on behalf of Play Scotland, on plans for the new Children and Young People Bill

Dear Anne,

As secretariat to the Early Years Taskforce I am responding on their behalf regarding the above Petition. The Early Years Taskforce discussed the Petition by Sharon McCluskie at their recent meeting and it was agreed that, as they represent different organisations and interests, individual members would provide their own comments.

I hope you will find this response useful.

Yours faithfully

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