

**CULTURE, WELSH LANGUAGE
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Consultees on Football Review

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Dear Colleague,

**CULTURE, WELSH LANGUAGE AND SPORT COMMITTEE
POLICY REVIEW: FOOTBALL IN WALES**

I am writing to seek your views on the Culture, Welsh Language and Sport Committee's review of football in Wales.

In February 2006 the Committee agreed the following terms of reference for its review:

"To review aspects of football in Wales in order to establish:

- *The future direction and priorities for the development of football in Wales*
- *The effectiveness of the current structure supporting football in Wales including:*
 - *whether it enables delivery for all and contributes to the Welsh Assembly Government's agenda*
 - *the relationships between the FAW as the governing body and the FAW Trust as the development arm*
- *Funding and resources for football"*

The Committee would like to hear from as wide a range of interests as possible about its review. It is currently taking oral evidence from a number of organisations and will be doing so up to the end of the summer term.

In addition, the Committee would also like to have written views, and has set a deadline of 31 May for these.

If you would like to contribute to the review, I would be grateful if you would let me have them either in hard copy (to the address above) or by e-mail. If the latter, it would be helpful if you would copy it to:

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Llinell Union / Direct Line: 029 2089 8238

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I attach a list of those to whom this letter has been sent. If you know of others who would like to contribute, I would be grateful if you could either pass the letter on or let myself or Karl know and we will write direct.

If you would like to discuss aspects of the review, please do telephone or e-mail.

Please note:

- Your response should be brief and to the point; please reference your response with the relevant question number.
- It is normal practice for the Committee to publish evidence either within a report, or as supplementary evidence to a report. We will not publish information which we consider to be personal data, such as name and contact details.
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- Please indicate whether you are responding on behalf of an organisation, or as an individual.

We look forward to hearing your views.

Yours sincerely

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