

11 February 2025

Dear

## **Request for Information – ATISN 23259 The Environment (Wales) Act**

### **Information requested**

Thank you for your request which I received on 15 January 2025. You asked for:

1. Copies of correspondence or other communications between the Welsh Government and the Prince of Wales/Duke of Cornwall regarding the seeking of consent for the Environment (Wales) Bill generated between 1 January 2015 to 31 March 2016.
2. Copies of correspondence or other communications from the Prince of Wales/Duke of Cornwall about the issue of Prince's consent or highlighting concerns about particular aspects of the Bill and to seek changes to the legislation.

The Prince of Wales/Duke of Cornwall consent was not sought for the Environmental (Wales) Bill. No correspondence or other communications were exchanged between the Welsh Government and the Prince of Wales/Duke of Cornwall on the subject of seeking his consent for the Bill or on the subject matter of the Bill. The consent of Her Majesty, The Queen was sought and given, and you have received copies of the letters pertaining to this request on 30 July 2021.

### **Next steps**

If you are dissatisfied with the Welsh Government's handling of your request, you can ask for an internal review within 40 working days of the date of this response. Requests for an internal review should be addressed to the Welsh Government's Freedom of Information Officer at:

Information Rights Unit,  
Welsh Government,  
Cathays Park,  
Cardiff,  
CF10 3NQ

or Email: [Freedom.ofinformation@gov.wales](mailto:Freedom.ofinformation@gov.wales)

Please remember to quote the ATISN reference number above.

You also have the right to complain to the Information Commissioner. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office,  
Wycliffe House,  
Water Lane,  
Wilmslow,  
Cheshire,  
SK9 5AF.

However, please note that the Commissioner will not normally investigate a complaint until it has been through our own internal review process.

Yours sincerely