

The Rt Hon Nadine Dorries MP Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport (by e-mail) The Scottish Parliament EDINBURGH EH99 1SP

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Dear Secretary of State

Channel 4

The Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture Committee held an <u>evidence</u> <u>session on 23 June</u> with Channel 4 and interested parties from the Scottish screen sector. The purpose of our session was essentially to explore the potential impact of the UK Government's proposals for Channel 4 on the screen sector in Scotland.

The Committee was particularly struck by the views expressed by our witnesses at the anticipated consequences of a change to the channel's operating model on the Scottish screen sector.

The Committee therefore invites you to give oral evidence as soon as practical after our Summer recess on your proposals for Channel 4 as set out in the UK Government's white paper. Our clerks are available to explore a mutually convenient date and timings with your officials.

Yours sincerely

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