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RE: General Scheme of the European Convention on Human Rights (Delays in Court Proceedings) Bill

Dear Minister,

I am writing to you in relation to the General Scheme of the European Convention on Human Rights (Delays in Court Proceedings) Bill which was referred to the Committee on 30th August 2021.

At its meeting on 15th December 2021, the Committee noted that Pre-Legislative Scrutiny on this General Scheme of this Bill had previously been undertaken by the Joint Committee on Justice and Equality and a report was published in May of 2019.

The Committee also noted that the revised General Scheme has been prepared taking account on the recommendations in that report.

Therefore, the Committee agreed that it is not necessary to undertake Pre-Legislative Scrutiny on the General Scheme of this Bill.

Yours sincerely,

James Lawless TD
Cathaoirleach

16th December 2021

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