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Dear William,

I am writing in response to your letter dated 30 September seeking my views on whether the National Assembly should establish an officially recognised Conscientious Objectors' Day in Wales.

I understand that International Conscientious Objectors' Day is marked annually on 15 May. From the Welsh Government perspective it would therefore seem a duplication to establish a separate day for Wales to mark the same event.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Carwyn Jones', written in a cursive style.

CARWYN JONES