

Rt Hon Michael Ellis QC MP Attorney General

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Dear Michael,

Congratulations on your recent appointment as Attorney General while Rt Hon Suella Braverman QC MP is on maternity leave.

As this role includes being Leader of the Bar, we look forward to welcoming you to our Bar Council meetings. The next meeting is on Saturday 24th April and will be held remotely, I do hope that you will be able to join.

As you know, we have worked constructively with the Attorney General on several issues affecting the Bar and we enjoy an open and positive relationship with the Law Officers. I look forward to continuing this work and these discussions with you.

I would be pleased to meet with you at your earliest opportunity. We have a Law Officers meeting scheduled for 21st April, but I would be pleased if we can meet prior to this, should your diary permit.

We look forward to working with you.

Yours Sincerely,



Derek Sweeting QC Chair of the Bar