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Dear Tony.

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NHS AND MEDICINES BILL

Thank you for copying me your letter to Willie Whitelaw seeking the inclusion of two further measures in the NHS and Medicines Bill.

I am content in principle with what you propose. However, I would welcome more information about the "income generation" initiative. My interest here is to ensure that the income generation and the new powers that you mention are not burdensome financially or administratively to business.

Copies of this go to 'H' Committee colleagues, Sir Robert Armstrong and to No 10.

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