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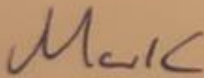
Thank you for contacting me about the UN Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination Against Women (CEDAW).

I have been assured that the UK is fully committed to CEDAW and I know my colleagues in Government recognise the important role CEDAW plays in holding state parties to account in implementing the convention.

Last year the UN reviewed the UK's implementation of CEDAW and published its observations and recommendations. While they acknowledge the progress that has been made in the UK, we know that there is more to be done. I know that colleagues in the Government Equalities Office have given full consideration to the Committee's recommendations.

Thank you again for taking the time to contact me.

Yours sincerely,



Mark Spencer MP
Member of Parliament for Sherwood