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During the plenary session on 14 November on the Regulated Services (Registration) (Wales) Regulations 2017 and the Regulated Services (Annual Returns) (Wales) Regulations 2017 you raised a question about the capacity of the ICT system that will underpin the registration and annual return system. I advised I would explore this further with officials and write to you in response to your concern.

The Care and Social Services Inspectorate Wales (CSSIW) has a key role in implementing the 2016 Act. It is developing an ICT system which will include an online process for both service provider registration and provider annual returns. The online registration system is being tested and will be operational in readiness to support the re-registration of existing providers which will commence in February 2018.

Careful project planning is in place to anticipate and manage any risks linked to the delivery of these Regulations. I hope this provides the reassurance you are seeking.

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