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Mabon ap Gwynfor MS

6 December 2022

Dear Mabon,

Please find below the answer to your Written Question.

Mabon ap Gwynfor (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): Will the Minister clarify what is meant by holistic, further to the Minister's comment relating to snares "we prefer to see a holistic approach to protecting animals" in the Economy, Trade and Rural Affairs Committee meeting on 16 November 2022? (WQ86800)

Lesley Griffiths: The 'holistic' approach refers to the ecosystem approach, meaning any specific intervention needs to be considered in relation to the balance of the whole system of wildlife and habitats likely to be affected.

Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Lesley Griffiths". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, sweeping flourish at the end.

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