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Dear Connullar Goodman

SEX OFFENCES REVIEW

Thank you for your letter of 8 March 1999, setting out your thoughts on how the current law on sex offences could be improved.

I am sorry that you are disappointed that we will not be covering the current legislation on pornography and prostitution, but these are areas quite separate from the sex offence laws. If we included these subjects in the review of sex offences, it would mean that we would not be able to complete the review in a reasonable timescale.

We welcome all contributions which will help with the development of fair and non-discriminatory laws, offer protection to those who are the most vulnerable in our society and allow us to pursue and appropriately punish those who abuse.

Yours sincerely

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