

**Jim McMahon OBE MP**



**HOUSE OF COMMONS**

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Dear Dr Wilkins

**Re: Oldham Council Resolution – Children’s Social Care**

Thank you for your letter regarding the above council resolution, though please accept my apologies for the delayed response.

I am in agreement with your concerns, and following your letter, I have contacted the Chancellor of the Exchequer to voice the points you have raised. I have requested that the Government ensure adequate funding is available to maintain that Children’s Services are properly safeguarded, and upon receiving a response I will notify you immediately.

I hope this helps.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jim McMahon".

Jim McMahon OBE MP  
Member of Parliament  
Oldham West & Royton

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