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Rt Hon Yvette Cooper MP Chair, Home Affairs Select Committee House of Commons London SW1A 4AA

Dear Yvette, 24 June 2019

COMMISSION TO THE MIGRATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE

I am writing to inform you of a commission to the Migration Advisory Committee (MAC).

I have today commissioned the MAC to undertake a study into the issue of salary thresholds as part of the future immigration system.

I attach, for your information, a copy of my letter to the Chair of the MAC which sets out the commission in full.

The letter also invites the MAC to consider how it might give effect to the proposal in the Immigration White Paper, published last December, for the MAC to publish an annual report, including on the impact of current immigration policies. I am aware that your Committee previously recommended that there should be an Annual Migration Report and we hope that the MAC's report, providing an authoritative statement on the effect of current policies, including in respect of integration, can have the desired effect.

I will arrange for a copy of this letter and a copy of my letter to the Chair of the MAC to be placed in the libraries of both Houses.

Yours sincerely,

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Rt Hon Sajid Javid MP