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Dear Deposited Papers Clerk,

Clause 1 of the Animal Welfare (Sentience) Bill [HL] proposes the establishment of an Animal Sentience Committee. My department has prepared a draft Terms of Reference document for the Committee so as to inform debate. I would like to deposit this document with the Libraries of the House for record purposes.

Attachments:

- Animal Sentience Committee (draft) Terms of Reference

I would be grateful if you could arrange for this to be placed in the Libraries of the House.

Yours sincerely,

THE RT HON LORD BENYON