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Dear Ms Endacott

Thank you for writing to me regarding Connecting Foster & Kinship Carers SA's (CF&KC-SA) 2022 State Election Commitments.

Children and young people under guardianship of the Chief Executive should be at the forefront of all Parliamentarians.

I would like to endorse all seven of CF&KC-SA's Election Commitments and acknowledge the need for an all of Government response to our State's Child Protection Sector.

Those under guardianship need stronger protection and better financial support, both of which should be extended to young people aged up to 25 years old.

In the next sitting of Parliament, I will seek to ensure we involve the voices of Carers and young people in guardianship, to build and enhance the protective systems for care through better legislation, policy, procedures and practices.

Thank you again for contacting regarding this important policy discussion.

Yours sincerely

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