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Dear Stephen,

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Thank you for your letter of 14 September to the Chancellor of the Exchequer about local government funding ahead of the Budget. I am replying as the Minister responsible for public spending.

I am grateful to you for drawing to my attention the issues set out in your submission. My officials are examining your ideas and suggestions. While it would not be appropriate to respond in detail to the points you make at this stage, I can assure you that your suggestions have been noted.

I would like to thank you for taking the time to contribute your views.

Thank you again for your letter.

Best wishes,

RT HON ELIZABETH TRUSS MP