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Dear Elected Representative,

I am the owner of Hyde & Seek Glasnevin and CEO for the Hyde & Seek Group. I am aware that you may have had representations regarding our services. Contrary to what is being reported in the media and what you may have heard it is our intention to do everything in our power to continue to provide quality childcare in our four centres.

We have been confined in our public statements on the advice of our solicitors because parallel legal proceedings have been initiated against us, however, for the avoidance of any doubt we will be vigorously challenging the content of the RTE programme, and of subsequent negative media about us.

It is our strong contention that we will be successful in our defence of our services and in the face of any prosecutions that Tusla have initiated against us. It is our view that the inspection regime is not fit for purpose and in the course of our defence this will be exposed.

I am grateful for the support shown to me by many of the parents in our services who have always been happy with the care the staff in our creches have provided for their children. It is my intention to do whatever I can to continue to look after these children and to keep our staff in employment.

I would welcome the opportunity to speak with you in person if you so wish.

Kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

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