Dear Andrew,

Thank you for the significant work that the Scottish Land Commission has progressed on scale and concentration of land ownership in rural Scotland, and for your report and recommendations to Scottish Ministers on potential ways of addressing the issues. As you know, there is a great deal of interest in this important work and it was a key theme of the Government debate on land reform in the Scottish Parliament on 21 March.

I am pleased to invite you to progress the work further, as set out in your recommendations and on the basis discussed with my officials. As previously agreed, some of the recommendations require further development and discussion with stakeholders, officials and others.

I believe this work will play a key role in achieving our land reform objectives, and I look forward to receiving further details of progress in due course.

Yours,

Roseanna Cunningham