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Dear Penny,

Earlier in the year we discussed mandatory recording of PIP assessments. You told the House on 29 March 2017 that:

‘We are carrying out pilots to test whether there are any benefits to audio recording face-to-face assessments. The pilots, which started on 13 March, will last for six weeks and involve 400 claimants.’

Would you be able to provide me with an update on the results of those pilots, and whether the Department plans to roll out the scheme to all areas?

*Yours,
Helen*

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