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Dear Parent/Guardian,

**Re: Your Views on the Safer Phones Bill**

I hope this letter finds you well. As your Member of Parliament, I am keen to hear your views on the Safer Phones Bill, a significant piece of legislation which will soon be debated in Parliament. This bill could have important implications for children, families, and schools, and I want to ensure that your concerns and perspectives are considered in these discussions.

I recently met parents at one of my regular surgery appointments. Parents tell me they're worried about children with smartphones. And I believe they're right to be worried. This raises the question: how do we protect children from addictive apps and endless scrolling, pinging notifications and dangerous content?

The views of parents, guardians, and teachers will shape what I say in Parliament when the bill comes to Parliament on 7<sup>th</sup> March. To ensure local voices are heard, my office has worked closely with local parents to create a short survey, and I would greatly appreciate your support in sharing the link with parents, guardians, and teachers at your school.

To gather feedback from parents across Bournemouth East, my office has worked closely with local parents to design a short survey where you can share your thoughts on what this bill could mean for you and your child(ren). Your input will help inform my approach to the debate and ensure that local voices are heard.

The survey can be accessed via the following link: <https://www.tomhayes.org.uk/safer-phones-bill-survey>

I would be grateful if you could take a few moments to complete the survey. Your feedback is invaluable in shaping how I represent our community on this issue.

Thank you for your time and for being an active participant in shaping policies that impact our children's futures. If you have any questions or would like further information, please do not hesitate to get in touch. I will be in touch with updates following the debate on 7<sup>th</sup> March.

Warm regards,

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