PET(4) WPI 04 Petitions Committee

Consultation on petition P-03-262 Wales Peace Institute

Response from Angharad Roberts

Dear Abigail Philips,

I wish to stress how important it is for us in Wales to have a Peace Institute. Politicians and others tend to turn to violence, force and war to try to solve problems and disputes. They are often unaware of other solutions. We need an organisation that will undertake academic research into peace and justice—an organisation able to provide sound and authoritative information on peace issues, and an organisation able to guide us as a nation and provide information for our politicians in the Bay.

I sincerely hope that we, like a number of other small European countries, get a Peace Institute, and that it will be established soon.

Yours sincerely Angharad Roberts,