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Dear

Thankyou for your e-mail on this issue.

I fully agree with you on this. It is scandalous that tampons and sanitary products are not exempt from VAT and unacceptable that many young women miss out on opportunities because of their inability to afford them.

I am glad to say that we have pledged to provide free sanitary products to those at secondary schools and women in financial need (<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/election-2017-39943496>). Our MEP for the South – West, Molly Scott Cato has campaigned in the European Parliament for sanitary products to be exempted from VAT.

I hope this answers your question, please don't hesitate to contact me if I can be of any further help.

Yours Sincerely,



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