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Dear Anton,

I am writing to thank you, Neal Juster and the University of Glasgow for your generosity in hosting the Scottish Fiscal Commission since John Swinney first contacted you back in June 2014.

The support offered by the University of Glasgow has been essential in allowing the Scottish Fiscal Commission to find its feet, and to start discharging its functions as a new public body for Scotland.

As the Commission now moves to a statutory footing with additional duties, it has been essential for the team to grow and for all the systems and support to grow with it. The Commission is now based in Governor's House, Edinburgh, where it will stay for the foreseeable future.

It would be impractical for a small organisation like ours to run a split site, therefore I would like to give your offices at Lilybank Gardens back to the University, and relinquish the need for additional support from 31 March this year.

We look forward to an on-going relationship with the University of Glasgow and all of Scotland's universities, and we thank you again for your generosity over the past three years.

Best wishes,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Susan".

Susan Rice CBE