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Onderwerp: Graag akkoord: persvragen

Hoi [5.1.2e] en [5.1.2e]

Graag jullie akkoord op onze antwoorden op de vragen van nieuwswebsite Apolitical (zie het mailtje hieronder). De inhoud heb ik afgestemd met [5.1.2e] en [5.1.2e]. Het stukje tekst over de politie en het OM heb ik afgestemd met J&V.

Dank alvast!

Groeten,
 [5.1.2e]



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Zie onderstaande. Pakken jullie dit met [5.1.2e] op?

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Dag [5.1.2e] en [5.1.2e]

Op advies van [5.1.2e] even direct naar jullie. Onderstaande vragen van de Britse nieuwssite Apolitical over huiselijk geweld en kindermishandeling kwamen vanochtend bij ons binnen.

Kunnen jullie hierop een antwoord (laten) aanleveren? Mag wat mij betreft gewoon in het Nederlands, dan vertalen wij het, of in het Engels als dat voor jullie geen probleem is.

Hartelijke groet,

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Onderwerp: Questions for article: domestic violence and COVID-19

To whom it may concern,

I'm a journalist working with [Apolitical](#), a platform for public servants offering concise articles on successful policies and programmes around the world. I was given this e-mail address by 5.1.2e whom I reached out to.

I'm writing a piece on how government departments responsible for vital public health issues such as domestic and child abuse are responding to the effects of the pandemic on their target communities.

5.1.2e suggested that I send my questions via email (**below**). I'd be very grateful if someone working in the Ministry of Health could answer these questions, as I'm eager to report on the approach you've taken to our audience of global policymakers.

Please let me know if I can clarify any of this and thank you very much for your time.

Kind regards,

5.1.2e

1. Calls to the National Domestic Abuse Hotline in the UK have increased by 25% since lockdown regulations came into place in the U.K.

Is The Netherlands experiencing a surge in reports of domestic abuse since measures were put in place to slow the spread of coronavirus?

2. Despite the increased number of domestic violence cases reported, many organisations helping victims can no longer offer their full service, due to social distancing regulations or staff shortages.

How has the Government of the Netherlands (or related agencies) adapted its policies, support, or funding for domestic abuse during the coronavirus crisis?

3. *How has the Government of the Netherlands approached the difficult balance between the dangers presented by coronavirus versus the dangers presented by domestic abuse, (or mental health crises, such as suicide) during lockdown?*

4. *What policy lessons have already come out of this experience of governing during a public health crisis that you'd like to share with other policymakers around the world?*

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