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You are aware that a tripartite meeting was held between my officials, HIW and the WAO this morning to consider the escalation status of your Health Board.

I have received advice from that meeting that the Health Board should be placed in Special Measures. I have accepted that advice and will be taking the necessary steps to enact my decision.

I wanted to let you know of my decision so that you can communicate the position to your Board, staff and stakeholders. The Chief Executive of NHS Wales will make arrangements to discuss specific actions with you in due course.

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