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Dear Ms Skibsted,

**Petition – Closure of Herlington Post Office**

Thank you for your petition, the contents of which have been noted.

I have taken into consideration the concerns you have raised and enquiries were made to establish the current situation.

Herlington Post Office closed around two weeks ago as part of the national strategy based on business viability. I understand that currently the nearest two Post Offices are in the Orton Centre and at Oakleigh Drive, Orton Longueville.

I am intending to write to Post Office Ltd, which owns and runs the Post Office Network, to seek their explanation as to what steps have been taken to ensure the needs of all residents in the area are met adequately.

I will keep you updated as soon as we receive further information in this regard.

Yours sincerely

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