Dear candidate,

As a voter in this year’s elections, I am writing to ascertain your position on women’s rights.

As you know, there are many council-controlled services that impact specifically on women’s and girls’ rights, e.g.:-

* Single sex toilets and changing facilities in public spaces, schools and leisure centres
* Single sex sports provision, in schools and recreation
* The right to same sex care in home and care settings
* The provision of factual, age and sex-appropriate RSE lessons and materials

Like many women, I have watched with dismay as public bodies, and specifically local authorities, have dismantled basic safeguarding principles in the name of an ill-defined concept of inclusivity. In addition, gender ideology has been introduced unchecked into schools and other services, without proper scrutiny nor equality impact assessments being undertaken.

I feel that the privacy, dignity and safety of women and girls is at risk in the prevailing climate, and I hope I can trust in your support to ensure those rights will be safeguarded. I write to ask how you, as my elected representative, would do that, and I hope I can rely on your support. Should you choose not to respond, I will assume that this is not a priority for you, and I will cast my vote accordingly.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Yours etc.