Dear NAME OF MP

Thank you for your support so far to raise our shared concerns over the issue of permission to work for people seeking asylum.

We are delighted to inform you that a Westminster Hall Debate on the right to work for people in the asylum system has been secured for next Wednesday 18th October from 16:00-16:30 and we are writing to ask if you would consider attending.

We feel this is a valuable opportunity to draw attention to the impacts of the ban on working on the refugee community, as well as point to the missed opportunities to fill labour gaps and save the Government money while we await the outcome of their welcome review into the policy.

As we head towards a difficult winter for the NHS with Covid-19 cases rising and staff shortages forecast, it has never been more urgent to raise these economic, common-sense arguments for reform that you are so well placed to make.

Please see attached below a briefing for the Westminster Hall Debate, and do not hesitate to get in touch with me if you have any questions.

We look forward to hearing from you.