[Date]

 [Member's Name]

 [Member's Address]

 [City, Postcode]

Dear [Parliamentary Candidate's Name],

I am writing to you as a concerned constituent and a member of the Chartered Institute of Environmental Health (CIEH), the professional body representing individuals committed to protecting and improving public health and safety.

I kindly urge you to consider signing up to CIEH’s pledges and support our mission to build safer, cleaner and healthier environments for all:

* **Constructive Engagement:** Encouraging MPs to engage with the CIEH on vital environmental health issues.
* **Raising Awareness:** Supporting efforts to elevate the profile of key environmental health issues within Parliament.
* **Collaborative Efforts:** Working together to establish an All-Party Parliamentary Group (APPG) on environmental health.

Signing up to these pledges and working with CIEH will demonstrate your commitment to support environmental health professionals like myself. Your advocacy and action on these matters can make a real difference in our communities, ensuring that public health and safety remain a priority in policy and practice.

Our work spans a broad spectrum, from inspecting homes for safety hazards, ensuring food businesses adhere to hygiene standards, to maintaining the integrity of our supply chains and much more, which you can read more about in [CIEH’s manifesto for environmental health](https://www.cieh.org/media/ep1hjgwv/cieh-manifesto-for-environmental-health-2024.pdf). Despite the vital nature of our work, we face significant challenges, including dwindling numbers due to budget cuts and a global skills shortage. These issues threaten our ability to protect public health effectively.

As a constituent, I would like to recommend that you engage with CIEH by committing to sign up to these pledges. They will be able to provide you with more insight into the crucial work of environmental health professionals and how we can collaborate to address these challenges,

Thank you for considering this important matter. I look forward to your support and to hearing from you soon.

Yours sincerely,

[Member's Name]