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## THE ORGANIC PRODUCTS (AMENDMENT) (EU EXIT) REGULATIONS 2018

### EU EXIT LEGISLATION – PROTOCOL WITH SCOTTISH PARLIAMENT

The Scottish Parliament recommended on 22 November 2018 that the Organic Products (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 (“the regulations”) should include Scottish devolved matters, as set out in the notification to the Parliament.

We have recently been advised that the regulations were laid in the UK Parliament on 28 January 2019. I can confirm that the regulations are consistent with the consent granted.

I am copying this letter to the Convener of the Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee.

  
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