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Senior Assistant Clerk, Windsor Framework Democratic Scrutiny Committee
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21 October 2025

COM/2025/386 Proposal for a Regulation on the European Chemicals Agency and amending Regulations (EC) No 1907/2006, (EU) No 528/2012, (EU) No 649/2012 and (EU) 2019/1021

Dear ██████████,

Thank you for your letter dated 19 September 2025.

In regards to the above proposal, I can confirm the Government's view is that the proposal, if adopted in its current form, would constitute a 'replacement EU act' under Schedule 6B to the Northern Ireland Act 1998.

We trust that the information provided will be of use to the Committee.

Yours sincerely,

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Windsor Framework Democratic Scrutiny
Committee (DSC)

Ref: DSC 196/25
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Issued via email to: [REDACTED]

Dear [REDACTED],

COM/2025/386 Proposal for a Regulation on the European Chemicals Agency and amending Regulations (EC) No 1907/2006, (EU) No 528/2012, (EU) No 649/2012 and (EU) 2019/1021

At its meeting on 18 September 2025, the Windsor Framework Democratic Scrutiny Committee considered a proposed EU act on the European Chemicals Agency, which was notified to the Committee on 17 July 2025.

The Committee received legal advice and heard departmental oral evidence on the proposal.

Following consideration, the Committee agreed that I should write to you to ask for confirmation that the proposed EU act as a whole is considered a 'replacement EU act' under Schedule 6B to the Northern Ireland Act 1998.

I would appreciate a response by 17 October 2025.

Yours sincerely,

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