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**Our Ref:** **EC2026:921**

**Subject:** **Areas with Natural Constraints (Payments) Bill**

At its meeting on 17 June 2026, the Committee for the Economy considered your correspondence of 8 June 2026 in respect of the Call for Evidence for the Areas with Natural Constraints (Payments) Bill.

The Committee agreed to provide a nil response.

If you require further information or clarification in respect of the above, please do not hesitate to contact me.

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Clerk to the Committee for the Economy