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Dear Jessica,

Thank you for your letter dated 11 July 2024.

The Government is continuing its analysis of Regulation (EU) 2024/1781, and the delegated acts that will be introduced at a later date. As noted in the Government's Explanatory Memorandum, the European Commission plans to publish a three-year working plan in March 2025, which will set out the initial products to be regulated under 2024/1781. The first set of delegated acts under 2024/1781 are expected in the middle of 2025.

We will consider what materials may be required by the Government on these matters following the European Commission's own working plan being published in March 2025, on the basis of the progression of any delegated acts following that plan. We can provide an update when that clarity is available.

Thank you for taking the time to write.

Yours sincerely,

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**Edmund Ramsden,
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Issued via email to: wftf-sg@cabinetoffice.gov.uk;

Dear Edmund,

Delegated acts under Regulation (EU) 2024/1781

At its meeting of 11 July 2024, the Windsor Framework Democratic Scrutiny Committee (DSC) considered Regulation (EU) 2024/1781 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 13 June 2024 establishing a framework for the setting of ecodesign requirements for sustainable products, amending Directive (EU) 2020/1828 and Regulation (EU) 2023/1542 and repealing Directive 2009/125/EC.

The Committee noted that paragraph 20 of the Government's Explanatory Memorandum on the Regulation states, "*Subject to the democratic scrutiny mechanisms described above, NI manufacturers might therefore need to apply new ecodesign requirements to products in scope of the Regulation. Any such impacts would depend on the delegated acts brought forward under this new framework, which the Government will keep under careful review.*"

The Committee requested to be kept informed about EU delegated acts under Regulation (EU) 2024/1781, and the Government's review of these acts. I would be grateful if you would confirm that the Government will provide this information to the Committee.

Yours sincerely,

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