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08 February 2016 12:13 Sent: To: Private Office DAERA

Subject: Meeting request with Minister Michelle O'Neill

Dear Thomas

Thank you for your time on the phone earlier on. I would be grateful if you could please help arrange a meeting with Minister Michelle O'Neill and Mike Mullan, Moy Park's HR Director Europe. The subject of the meeting is to discuss the Renewable Heat Incentive.

Kind regards

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Mr. Mike Mullan, Moy Park's HR Director Europe has requested a meeting with you to discuss the Renewable Heat Incentive (RHI).

This may be in response to the recent announcement by Minister Bell and the Assembly vote that the RHI will close on the 29 Feb 2016.

Reasons to accept/decline the invitation

Moy Park is a large employer in the north. The potential closure of the RHI may be a problem for poultry farmers who were considering or are in the process of expanding their systems and were potentially going to use biomass heating systems to heat their chicken houses and avail of the RHI.

Role of Minister at event

To listen to the issues raised by Mr Mullan and explain the DARD position on the RHI.

Departmental Priority

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Mr Mullan has requested to meet you as wishes to discuss the RHI. It is probably connected to the recent DETI announcement on the RHI closure and the impact he sees on the poultry industry.

Mr Mullan may decide speak to the media.

The RHI is a DETI scheme. DARD has no direct input into the policy decision.

Name of official to contact for further details if required:

Terence Patton 24143 Terence.patton@dardni.gov.uk

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Is the Permanent Secretary required to attend?

Yes ☐ No ⊠

Name and date cleared by Grade 7 or above

Peter Scott

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