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Subject: RE: RHI - Regulations - DSO draft and advice from UKRep
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Would it help if the clause said that the regulations would come into effect on either 1 April 2017 or the day after State Aid approval, whichever is the later?

For what it may be worth.

Many thanks.

From: Moore, Stephen (DfE)
Sent: 12 January 2017 09:51
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Lucy

UKRep just phoned me for an update on where we are and we had a brief chat about the clause Paul is suggesting.

They suggested we ask Paul look again at the HMT Standstill Clause.

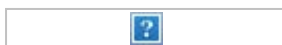
In particular, they are thinking about a situation in which we may need to make further changes to the regulations during purdah, due to something totally unexpected from the Commission (e.g. the Commission requires additional conditions in the regulations or wants a lower tariff or cap etc.).

I haven't said anything to Paul yet. Thought I should alert you to this first.

Stephen

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