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The Official Controls (Fees and Charges) (Amendment) Regulations 2024.

Dear Paul,

I refer to my letter to you of 21 February 2024. I am writing to inform the Committee I have given my consent to the Minister of State to lay the Official Controls (Fees and Charges) (Amendment) Regulations 2024 in relation to Wales. I have laid a Written Statement which can be found at:

<https://eur01.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fsenedd.wales%2Fmedia%2Fqc0ktt3n%2Fws-1d16362->

Consent has been given for the UK Government to make these Regulations in order to implement to implement the milestones of the Borders Target Operating Model (BTOM). The Regulations intersect with devolved policy and will apply to Wales. The Statutory Instrument (SI) is subject to the affirmative procedure and was laid before Parliament on 26 February 2024 with a commencement date of 30th April 2024.

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Rydym yn croesawu derbyn gohebiaeth yn Gymraeg. Byddwn yn ateb gohebiaeth a dderbynnir yn Gymraeg yn Gymraeg ac ni fydd gohebu yn Gymraeg yn arwain at oedi.

We welcome receiving correspondence in Welsh. Any correspondence received in Welsh will be answered in Welsh and corresponding in Welsh will not lead to a delay in responding.

I am writing in similar terms to Huw Irranca Davies MS, Chair of the Legislation, Justice and Constitution Committee.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Lesley Griffiths". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, sweeping flourish at the end of the name.

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