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Dear Sarah,

I am writing further to correspondence sent by my predecessor, the then Minister for Rural Affairs, North Wales and Trefnydd Lesley Griffiths MS on 18 October 2023 and again on 9 November 2023, regarding the above referenced Statutory Instrument (then titled 'The Official Controls (Establishment Lists) (Revocation) Regulations 2023').

The Minister notified you that she was giving consent to the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs to make the Regulations on behalf of Welsh Ministers, but subsequently wrote again to confirm they had not been laid.

My officials have now received notification from Defra that the Regulations will be laid on 7 May and come into force on 29 May.

The purpose of the Regulations is to revoke restrictions placed on certain Brazilian food establishments. This will enable them to be added to the list of establishments approved to export to Great Britain, upon submission of an updated list of approved establishments by the Brazilian Competent Authority.

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As consent was previously given to the Secretary of State to act on behalf of Welsh Ministers to make these Regulations on 12 October 2023, this letter is being sent to you for information only.

Yours sincerely,

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