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Dame Rosemary Butler AM  
Presiding Officer  
National Assembly for Wales

12<sup>th</sup> February 2016

Dear Rosemary,

**THE COMMON AGRICULTURAL POLICY (AMENDMENT) (WALES) REGULATIONS  
2016**

I am writing to notify you, pursuant to section 11A(4) of the Statutory Instruments Act 1946, that the Common Agricultural Policy (Amendment) (Wales) Regulations 2016 were not laid at least 21 days before they will come into force.

Due to an unfortunate oversight, the dates stated on the Regulations for laying and coming into force were incorrect, which means that they will breach the "21 day" rule. They will come into force on 23 February 2016.

The Deputy Minister for Farming and Food has instructed Legal Services to urgently draft instruments to revoke and remake these Regulations so as to allow the appropriate 21 days between laying and coming into force.

Please accept my apologies for this oversight.

Yours sincerely,

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