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Dear Gillian,

## UK subordinate legislation

At its meeting on 4 October 2023, the Rural Affairs and Islands Committee considered the consent notification for the following UK SI—

- the Official Controls (Establishment Lists) Regulations 2023.

The Committee agreed with the Scottish Government's decision to consent to the provisions in the notifications being included in UK, rather than Scottish, subordinate legislation.

Yours sincerely,

**Finlay Carson MSP**  
Convener  
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