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Attention: Geoff Gleeson

Dear Geoff

At the time of writing, the SEF is due to be published on or about 9 May 2015. From the Public Record it is evident that Producer Organizations, the European Union and the Government of Italy have not cooperated in supplying the specific information requested in the questionnaires sent by the ADC. No evidence has been provided in submissions so far which contradicts the reasoning and facts supplied in SPC's application.

The Act provides for a Preliminary Affirmative Determination (PAD) 60 days after initiation of the case. This period ended on 20<sup>th</sup> March 2015. Given the limited cooperation received and the uncontested evidence in the application, SPC requests that a PAD be published without further delay.

Given this lack of cooperation, SPC is of the view that there is no apparent benefit in extending the SEF reporting timeline.

SPC requests the Commission to take a tough stance on the matter to show a lack of cooperation will not secure the benefit of a time extension.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J. Harvey', with a stylized flourish at the end.

James Harvey  
Acting Managing Director