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Subject: RE: DMO date [SEC=OFFICIAL:Sensitive]

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Hi Vyt

I just called, am looking for an update on the reg changes. DMO drafting crunch time is upon us here.

Cheers

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Hi Chloe,

Just giving you an update – the change below is with the Minister so is on track to get to ExCo for 31 March. Of course, until its approved at ExCo, 1 May is still the target determination date.

Warm Regards,

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#### Hi Vyt and Geoff

Following on from your update about the DMO determination date we would like to provide you with a couple of suggestions for consideration and wording of the Regs amendment. When the previous consideration was 21 May we were considering whether we could publish the next business day after a weekend and we think it would be good to make this clear in the Regs. Even if the date isn't a weekend this year, it would be good for future years.

• You could consider the following form of words: XX May or if that day falls on a weekend or a public holiday, the AER must publish the Determination no later than the next business day after XX May.

• There is also a potential issue about the commencement of DMO prices – the Regs require that they commence 56 days after the determination date. We would need a consequential amendment to ensure they commenced on 1 July.

Thanks Chloe

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