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Deputy Moz Scott
Chair, Economic and International Affairs Scrutiny Panel

BY EMAIL

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Dear Chair

Thank you for your letter of 29th September 2023.

Jersey Hemp has initiated Judicial Review proceedings against the Minister for Health and Social Services, alongside a challenge to the UK Home Office. The Jersey proceedings have been stayed pending the outcome of the UK proceedings.

It is inappropriate for the Government to make any comment in respect of any ongoing litigation to which it is a party, whether this be in Jersey or elsewhere. Accordingly, I am unable to offer any comment on these proceedings.

The Government has been supportive of the industry as a whole and continues to be so. Please note that Jersey Hemp has never been issued a UK import licence.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kristina Moore".

Deputy Kristina Moore
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