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Deputy Steve Luce, Minister for the Environment

BY EMAIL

17th October 2025

Dear Minister,

Quarterly Hearing (8th October 2025) Follow-up - Seafood Exports to France

Further to the Environment, Housing & Infrastructure Scrutiny Panel's Quarterly Public Hearing on 8th October 2025, the Panel seeks clarification regarding your comment that French authorities have refused seafood consignments packed in ice made from Jersey tap water on the basis that the water used to make the ice was not accompanied by appropriate documentation.

The Panel would appreciate further detail on the specific circumstances surrounding this issue, including when it occurred, what documentation was requested, and the current position regarding any such requirements for seafood exports.

The Panel would be grateful for your written response within five working days of receipt of this letter. We look forward to hearing from you.

Yours sincerely,

Deputy Hilary Jeune

Chair, Environment, Housing and Infrastructure Panel