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24 June 2019

Dear Sir/Madam,

Dear Consultee

CONSULTATION ON THE NUMBERING FORMAT FOR BOVINE EID.

I am writing to invite your comments on a consultation on the numbering format for Bovine EID.

In order to maintain and improve Northern Ireland's standing as a region with a robust traceability regime, the Department has been examining the incorporation of Radio Frequency Identification (RFID) or electronic tags for the identification of cattle (EID) and is now consulting on a numbering format relating for use with these tags.

Responding to the consultation

The consultation document and response form will be available at: <https://www.daera-ni.gov.uk/consultations>. If you would like to comment on this consultation, please reply by the closing date/time of 4.00pm on 16 August 2019. You may respond by e-mail to FarmedAnimals.IRM@daera-ni.gov.uk or alternatively you can post your response by the closing date to:

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Copies of the consultation document can also be made available, on request, in alternative formats. Alternative formats may include Easy Read, Braille, audio formats (CD, mp3 or DAISY), large print or translations into minority languages (to meet the needs of those for whom English is not their first language). Please contact 028 7744 2367 to arrange such copies. For those with hearing difficulties, leave a message on the Department's text phone (18001 028 9052 5031).

Yours faithfully

Christopher Andrews.

Head of Animal Identification & Welfare Branch.

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