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Hi

Thanks [Name], [Name] appreciated.

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Hi

Sorry for the delayed reply. I've just read through the PIRA and agree with your conclusion that the RIA requirements do not apply.

Many thanks,

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Dear

I have completed a PIRA for a proposed amendment to the Medicines Regulations which is being progressed on the advice of the High Court and Crown Law in order to provide legal certainty about the status of fluoride compounds used to treat community water supplies.

The Ministry's assessment is that the nature of the proposed change (it will not change current practice or policy settings) is such that the RIA requirements do not apply. The Ministry is therefore claiming a full exemption from the RIA requirements and seeking confirmation that Treasury supports this claim.

The PIRA, describing the proposal is attached .

Please note that I will be leaving the Ministry on 5 December and that James Caldwell will be the contact person from that date. Happy to discuss before then if necessary.

Kind regards,

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