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Dear Sam,

**5282/18 Proposal for a COUNCIL REGULATION on establishing the European High Performance Computing Joint Undertaking**

Thank you for your letters dated 17 April 2018 and 18 June 2018 on the above proposal. The EU Internal Market Sub-Committee considered your letters at its meeting on 21 June 2018.

We have decided to grant your request for a scrutiny waiver. We look forward to an update on the progress of the Joint Undertaking and the Government's decision on whether the UK will participate, in due course.

I am copying this letter to Sir William Cash MP, Chair of the Commons European Scrutiny Committee; Philip Aylett, Clerk to the Commons Committee; Arnold Ridout, Legal Adviser to the Commons Committee; Les Saunders, DExEU; and Jenny Steinitz, Departmental Scrutiny Coordinator.

*Yours sincerely,*

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Chairman of the European Union Committee