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**By e-mail only**

Dear Ms [REDACTED],

**Subject: Your e-mail dated 18 September 2018 - Concerns of innovative SMEs regarding the Commission's proposal on SPC manufacturing waiver**

Thank you for sharing with me and other DG SANTE colleagues the European Biopharmaceutical Enterprises' position on the European Commission's legislative proposal for manufacturing waiver for supplementary protection certificate (SPC) for medicinal products.

DG GROW, as the DG responsible for this file, will respond to your letter. DG SANTE works closely with DG GROW on this file and we take note of your comments.

Yours sincerely,

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