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Dear John,

Legislative Consent Motion: Wild Animals in Circuses (No.2) Bill – UK Legislation

I am writing to notify you that, on 13 June 2019, the Scottish Parliament agreed to Legislative Consent Motion S5M-17690 on the Wild Animals in Circuses (No.2) Bill, which is currently under consideration at Westminster.

I attach the associated memorandum and extract of the Minutes of Proceedings.

Yours sincerely

Paul

P E GRICE
Clerk/Chief Executive

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Parliamentary Year 4, No. 14, Session 5

Meeting of the Parliament

Thursday 13 June 2019

Note: (DT) signifies a decision taken at Decision Time.

The meeting opened at 11.40 am.

8. Wild Animals in Circuses (No.2) Bill – UK Legislation: The Minister for Rural Affairs and the Natural Environment (Mairi Gougeon) moved S5M-17690— That the Parliament agrees that the relevant provisions of the Wild Animals in Circuses (No. 2) Bill, introduced in the House of Commons on 1 May 2019, relating to removing the current exemption for circuses from the Dangerous Wild Animals Act 1976, so far as these matters fall within the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament, should be considered by the UK Parliament.

The motion was agreed to (DT).

The meeting closed at 5.04 pm.

P E Grice
Clerk of the Parliament
13 June 2019