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1. As part of our scrutiny of the European Union and of documents deposited, we publish the Government's responses to our reports. We publish occasional volumes bringing together Government responses, although on occasion responses are published elsewhere for example with a follow-up report.<sup>1</sup> This volume covers outstanding reports for the session 2001-02.
2. We make this report to the House for information.

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<sup>1</sup> The previous volume of *Government responses* was published as the 2nd Report, 2001-2002 (HL Paper 13).

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