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Dear Deputy McNulty Bauer

GREEN PAPER: COMPETITION, LICENSING AND REGULATION IN THE CAR AND PASSENGER FERRY MARKET

I refer to the email circulated by George Sauvage, Director, Economic Development Unit dated 9th June 2010 requesting the Committee's views on the above Green Paper.

The Committee is pleased to note you are seeking the views of the public and of relevant stakeholders as part of your review on the issue of competition, licensing and regulation in the car and passenger ferry market.

Thank you for offering the Scrutiny Committee the opportunity to comment. At this point, the Committee has no specific comment to make on the consultation topic itself but may do so at a later date. However, the Committee notes that no detail was included in the Green Paper about the next steps following the close of the consultation process. The Committee asks that the Department, together with Jersey's Economic Development Department, ensures that feedback is provided to the consultees, and the general public, on the results of the consultation process and on how this will be considered in the decision making process.

Thank you again for forwarding on this Green Paper for the Scrutiny Committee's consideration.

Yours sincerely

Deputy M J Fallaize Vice-Chairman