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Dear Mr Edwards

Thank you for your letter of 1 March 2024 sharing information on the passage of the Data Protection and Digital Information Bill (“the bill”) as it enters the latter stages of consideration by the UK Parliament.

The European Commission is responsible for negotiating and monitoring adequacy decisions. The EDPB has been closely following the developments in the UK and receives regular updates from the European Commission.

Should the European Commission decide to renew the UK adequacy decisions before the end of the sunset clause expiry date, then it should consult the EDPB for an Opinion in accordance with Article 70(1)(s) GDPR. The EDPB is looking forward to contributing to the European Commission’s evaluation of the UK adequacy decisions.

Yours sincerely,

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