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Dear Sirs

Re LSB Consultation on Draft Business Plan

The OFT welcomes the LSB's plan, in particular its prioritisation on preparing a licensing regime for ABSs and its focus on the clearer separation of regulatory and representational functions of Approved Regulators. We are keen that the 'ABS regime' is progressed as soon as is feasible.

We also look forward to seeing the Stakeholder Engagement strategy which we hope will help develop OFT's and LSB's working relationship further.

Kindly acknowledge receipt of this email.

Yours faithfully

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