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BY EMAIL

Dear Alice

### **Consultation on consolidation and revision of freight general approvals**

Thank you for the opportunity to consider this proposal.

Transport Scotland agrees with the principle of consolidation and simplification, which is in line with Scottish Government's five principles for better regulation; proportionate, consistent, accountable, transparent and calculated.

I hope the above is helpful.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'John Provan', written in a cursive style.

John Provan  
Rail Strategy Team

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