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Corporate information: Department for Environment, Food & Rural Affairs — Statistics at Defra

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News story: Defra update on GB-NI authorised trader self-identification

Defra are working to compile a list of businesses that can take advantage of the authorised GB-NI trader 3 month grace period