

# **SPS Readiness Business Advisory Council**

**30 July 2026**

## **Agenda**

- Opening remarks and introductions
- Business readiness activity over summer and autumn
- Legislation
- Labelling
- Next steps and any other business

## **Summary of session**

Stakeholders were supportive of the SPS Agreement and welcomed Defra's commitment to maintain momentum following the summit delay. They highlighted the need for greater clarity on implementation requirements, transition arrangements and timelines before investing in the changes required. Government will continue working with council members to develop guidance, share relevant updates as they become available, and widen awareness beyond the most engaged stakeholders.