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## To whom it concerns,

In relation to the derogation, we wish that it remains in place. As tillage farmers it's an important tool to have available to us if and when needed. Thankfully it's not a tool needed too often because of improved agronomy, seed technology and precision technology on farms where lodged crops are not as big an issue as in previous times. However we still want the derogation option to protect our crops from the likes of pigeons typically when there could be poor harvest weather in July, August and September.

Kind regards

Irish Grain Growers Group