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Subject: Please see from Page 46 re PPPs and their use on 100% of Potato Crops

To Whom it Concerns,

I believe this may be helpful; it indicates that all Potato crops receive at least 18 treatments of PPPs during their cycle; surely such use must be Appropriately Assessed in line with the Habitats Directive given the immediate Proximity of the River Nore SAC.

Kind regards,

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