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Subject: Re: Note to POs re EU and US vaccinated

I think my reaction is as it has been throughout: that the risks from international travel remain real, and that the UKG's approach is not proportionate to that risk. The recent Beta variant concerns in France are surely enough to warn of the risks of treating all EU countries as if they were in the same position. We will, once again, be in the position of having to follow what is decided, but I think we should continue to voice our reservations and concerns.

Thanks

Mark

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FM to see the note below in relation to those traveling from EU and US to UK

Officials have asked if you have a view on the 4 points below?

Beth

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[Name Redacted] for the attention of the First Minister and Minister for Health and Social Services,

With thanks to [NR] for his drafting, this note is to flag the further developments on liberalising international travel that are likely to be brought forward by the UKG next week.