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*Day 2*

**Group Exercise: What's changed?**

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## Are things really so different?

- A simple group exercise to check you're comfortable with this morning's work
- Aim: identify what's changed in goods trade between the UK and EU?
  - Paperwork (yes/no/sometimes)
  - Checks (yes/no/sometimes)
  - Treaties (WA/TCA/both/neither)
- Complication: Northern Ireland
- Groups of 5 to complete the online sheet (30 minutes), then debriefing together (30 mins)