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*The Minister*

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## **Gray-lag Goose Hunting**

Dear Madam Wargon

I refer to our telephone conversation last Friday 1 February regarding Gray-Lag Goose hunting and the Norwegian view on an extension of the hunting season in France.

I confirm that Norway can agree to an extension of the Gray-lag Goose hunting season in France for a period ending 28 February 2019.

Norway is looking forward to further collaboration within the African Eurasian Waterbird Agreement, and especially regarding the European Management Platform for long term sustainable management of Gray-lag Goose in Europe.

Yours sincerely

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