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DSB Implements a Change Freeze

Dear DSB users,

Having consulted the Technology Advisory Committee for guidance, the DSB will implement a change freeze from midnight on Friday 20th March. This will mean that, in principle, there will be no non-essential enhancements made to the DSB services, even if deemed backwardly compatible. The DSB may implement critical defect fixes or other critical changes, but these will be subject to additional governance and controls, with users supported by timely communication to aid their preparations.

The change freeze will remain in place until further notice. However, the DSB will review this situation in two weeks and will therefore provide a further update on Friday 3rd April.

Regards,
DSB Technical Support Team