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Dear Mr Watson

Freedom of Information request (our ref. 13541): internal review

Thank you for your e-mail of 20 January 2010, in which you asked for an internal review of our response to your Freedom of Information (Fol) request.

I have now completed the review. I have examined all the relevant papers and have consulted the unit which provided the original response. I have considered whether the correct procedures were followed and assessed the reasons why information was withheld from you. I confirm that I was not involved in the initial handling of your request.

My findings are set out in the attached report. My conclusion is that the original response was substantially correct, although some further information should have been provided to you which is now enclosed. We were also at fault in not replying within the time limit.

This completes the internal review process by the Home Office. If you remain dissatisfied with the response to your Fol request, you have the right of complaint to the Information Commissioner at the following address:

The Information Commissioner
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
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Yours sincerely

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