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A McDonald
By email: xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx@xxxxxxxxxxxxxx.xxx

19 March 2010

Dear A McDonald,

Freedom of Information request – RFI20100293

Thank you for your email of 27 February requesting the following information under the terms of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 ("the Act");

> *Please could you provide me with the cost of Hosting and Moderating "traditional" forums/message boards for example Points of View, iPlayer Message board etc. on www.bbc.co.uk.*

The reference number for your request is RFI20100293.

Please note that you asked in an earlier request dated 16 February 2010, reference number RFI20100244, for the following:

> *Please provide the costs for hosting & moderating the following areas of the site www.bbc.co.uk: Have Your Say, Points of View, Comments Section of BBC Blogs.*

I refer you to our response to that request dated 1 March 2010, where we explained that the information you requested was not covered by the Act. However, we did volunteer some information about who moderates our message boards and forums. We have nothing further to add to that response.

Appeal Rights

The BBC does not offer an internal review when the information requested is not covered by the Act. If you disagree with our decision you can appeal to the Information Commissioner. Contact details are: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF telephone 01625 545 700. http://www.ico.gov.uk

Kind regards

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