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Dear Ms Drysdale,

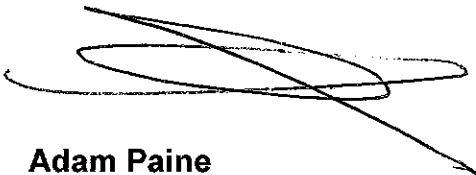
Gaul RFI and related Freedom of Information Request

I am writing further to my letter of 26 November, 2008.

I regret that I am not yet able to send you the statement regarding the Department's position on rehearing the Gaul RFI, as well as the response to your Freedom of Information request.

I will continue to treat this matter as one of priority. Please accept my apologies for any inconvenience caused by the delay. I now expect to send you the statement and response by 19 December, 2008.

Yours sincerely,



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