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Dear Sir/Madam,

RE: Freedom of Information request

I am writing in response to your request for information received 26th July 2010 which has been considered under the terms of the Freedom of Information Act 2000. You requested the following information:

Can you provide me with a list of all the parliamentary Acts and pieces of legislation governing the Royal Mail and its subsidiaries?

A central listing of all legislation that Royal Mail Group complies with is not held, however we were able to gather information regarding some of the parliamentary Acts and legislation which governs Royal Mail Group in relation postal services and diversity, and this has been included as Annex 1 to this letter. Our website, www.royalmailgroup.com also holds some information regarding these pieces of legislation. Royal Mail Group of course always seeks to comply with all Parliamentary Acts and legislation applying to the company.

I hope that the information provided is useful to you. If for any reason you are not satisfied with this response, you do have the right to request a review. If you wish to do so please set out in writing your grounds of appeal and send to the Head of Information Compliance, Royal Mail Group, Company Secretary's Office, 100 Victoria Embankment, LONDON, EC4Y 0HQ. An internal panel will then review the request, and you will be advised of the outcome.

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If you decide to appeal and are still not satisfied with our response you also have a right to appeal to the Information Commissioner at:

Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire
SK9 5AF
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Yours sincerely

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Annex 1: Legislation and Parliamentary Acts

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Post Office (Banking Services) Act 1976

Post Office Act 1969

Post Office Works Act 1959

Dissolution of the Post Office Order 2007 (SI 2007/1180)

Post Office Network Subsidy Scheme Order 2007 (SI 2007/962)

Sun-post Office Start Up Capital Subsidy Scheme order 2001 (SI2001/2664)

Post Office Company (Nomination and Appointment Day) Order 2001 (SI2001/8)

Post Office users Council (Appointment Day) Order 2001 (SI2000/3273)

Post Office Register (Trustee Savings Bank) (Revocation) Regulations 1988 (SI 1988/1167)

Post Office Operational Land Regulations 1973 (SI 1973/310)

Dissolution of the Post Office Order 2007

Post Office Network Subsidy Scheme Order

Sub-Post office Start Up Capital Subsidy Scheme Order 2001

Post office Users National Council (Appointed Day) Order 2000

Post Office Company (Nomination and Appointment Day) Order 2001

Post office Act 1993

Postal Services Act 2000

British Telecommunications Act 1981

Public Contracts and Utilities Contracts (Postal Services Amendment) Regulations 2008

Postal Services (Consumer Complaints Handling Standards) Regulations 2008
(SI2009/2355)

Postal Services Regulated Providers (Redress Scheme) Order 2008 (SI 2008/2267)

Postal Packets (Revenue and Customs) Regulations 2007 (SI 2007/2195)

Postal services Act 2000 (Commencement No 5) Order 2007

Postal services Act 2000 (Consequential Modifications) Order 2003 (SI 2003/2908)

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Postal services Act 2000 (Consequential Modifications to Local Enactments) Order 2003 (SI 2003/1542)

Postal services (EC Directive) Regulations 2002 (SI 2002/ 3050)

Postal Services Act 2000 (Modification of section 7) Order 2002 (SI 2002/200)

Postal Services Act 2000 (Determination of Turnover for Penalties) (Amendment) Order 2002 (SI 2002/125)

Postal Services Act (Disclosure of Information) Order 2001 (SI 2001/3617)

Postal Services Act 2000 (Consequential Modifications No1) Order 2001 (SI 2001/1149)

Postal Services Act 2000 (Commencement No 4 and Transitional and Saving Provisions) Order 2001 (SI 2001/1148)

Postal Services Act 2000 (Determination of Turnover for Penalties) Order 2001 (SI 2001 (SI 2001/1135)

Postal Services Act 2000 (Commencement No 3 and Transitional and Saving Provisions) Order 2001 (SI 2001/878)

Postal Services Act 2000 (Consequential Modifications to Local Enactments No1) Order 2001

Postal Services Commission (Register) Order 2001

Postal Services Act (Commencement No 2) Order 2001 (SI 2001/534)

Postal Services Act 2000 (Commencement No 1 and Transitional Provisions) Order 2000 (SI2000/2957)

Postal Privilege (Suspension) Order 1999 (Revocation) Order 1999 (SI1999/2863)

Postal services Regulations 1999 (SI 1999/2107)

Postal Packets (Customs and Excise) (Amendment) Regulations 1992(SI 1992/3224)

Postal Packets (Customs and Excise) (Amendment) Regulations 1986 (SI 1986/1019)

Postal Packets (Customs and Excise) Regulations 1986 (SI 1986/260)

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Representation of the People (Postal Voting for Local Government Elections) (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 2009 (SSI 2009/128)

Public Contracts and Utilities Contracts (Postal Services and Commons Procurement Vocabulary Codes) Amendment (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (SSI 2008/376)

Representation of the People (Postal Voting for Local Government Elections) (Scotland) Regulations 2007 (SSI 2007/263)

SI 2007/2195 The Postal Packets (Revenue and Customs) Regulations 2007

Postal Packets (Customs and Excise) Regulations 1986

Age Discrimination

Bully and Harassment Legislation

Civil Partnership Act (2004)

Criminal Justice and Public Order Act (1994)

Disability Discrimination Act (1995)

Employment Rights Act (1996)

Employment Relations Act (1999)

Equal Pay Act (2000)

Health and Safety at Work (1974)

Human Rights Act (1998)

Malicious Communications Act (1998)

Part-Time Workers Regulations 2000

Protection from Harassment Act (1997)

Race Relations Act (1976)

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Race Relations Amendment Act (2000)

Rehabilitation of Offenders Act (1974)

The Employment Equality (Religion or Belief) Regulations (2003)

Sex Discrimination Act (1975)