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**Your ref: CAF204**  
**Our ref: JJ/CAF204**  
**Date: 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2009**

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### **Re: Freedom of Information Request - Internal Review**

Thank you for your recent request for an internal review of your FOI request. In an e-mail from you on 24<sup>th</sup> April 2009, you were unhappy with the decisions/handling made in relation to your FOI request. [I am writing to request an internal review of Children and Family Court Advisory Support Service's handling of my FOI request 'Common Purpose'.](#)

Valerie Howarth, Chair of the Cafcass Board, has now carried out the internal review and the conclusions of the review are set out below:

### **Internal Review – R.Soles Freedom of Information Request**

*It is difficult to understand why the complainant is asking for this review. The answer was given in the first response and he has not given any further clarification or information regarding the FOI 'Common Purpose' Question.*

*The first reply was sent within the specified time (see email dated March 10<sup>th</sup> 2009) Mr soles requested the information again on 9<sup>th</sup> April suggesting he had not received it. A second email was sent on April 14<sup>th</sup>.*

*No further clarification has been sought regarding this nor the second request on transparency. We cannot follow up without further clarification.*

VALERIE HOWARTH                      2<sup>nd</sup> June 2009.

If you have any queries about this review please contact me at the Cafcass National Office address. Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.



Baroness Valerie Howarth Chair  
Anthony Douglas CBE Chief Executive

If you are not content with the outcome of your review, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision ([www.informationcommissioner.gov.uk](http://www.informationcommissioner.gov.uk)).

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Best Wishes

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