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Dear J Hodges

### Freedom of information request – RFI 20080708

Thank you for your request of 01 July 2008 under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 seeking the following information:

***“...Please could you let me know the total cost to the BBC in the financial years 2006/7 and 2007/8 of the Romanian language section of the BBC World Service”***

The total cost of the Romanian Service in 2006/7 was £1.163m and £1.263m in 2007/8. These figures can be broken down into the following expenditure:

Costs	2006/7	2007/8
Staffing :	69%	73%
Production:	6%	13%
Transmission:	5%	6%
Other:	16%	8%

#### Appeal Rights

If you are not satisfied with this response you have the right to an internal review by a BBC senior manager or legal adviser. Please contact us at the address above, explaining what you would like us to review and including your reference number. If you are not satisfied with the internal review, you can appeal to the Information Commissioner. The contact details are: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF, telephone 01625 545 700 or see <http://www.ico.gov.uk/>

Yours sincerely

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