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Dear Ms Evans

REQUEST FOR INFORMATION: For a full list of Defra's Strategic objectives (including codes and descriptions).

Thank you for your request for information requesting a full list of our strategic objectives, which we received on 10 May 2010. This request was dealt with under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA).

I enclose a copy of the most recent Departmental Report which includes the information you have requested. In light of the recent change in Government, our Strategic Objectives may alter in the coming weeks and / or months. This information is also available on our Departmental website (www.defra.gov.uk) and would therefore recommend it as future reference point for you to monitor future changes.

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In keeping with the spirit and effect of the FOIA, all information is assumed to be releasable to the public unless exempt. The information you requested may now be published on our website together with any related information that will provide a key to its wider context.

If you have any queries about this letter, please contact me. I also attach an annexe giving contact details should you be unhappy with the service you have received.

Yours sincerely

Robert Jones
Corporate Communications
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Annexe A

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