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Dugoutcanoe

(by email to request-69008-1c732647@whatdotheyknow.com)

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Dear Dugoutcanoe

I write in response to your email of 20 June 2011, received via the Whatdotheyknow.com website, in which you requested an internal review of your request for information concerning access to, and the navigation of, waterways in England and Wales for non-powered craft.

In line with our internal review procedures your case will be reviewed by Defra's Information Rights Team, in consultation with the relevant policy area. The internal review is being handled under the Environmental Information Regulations 2004, which cover requests for information which falls under the definition of environmental information.

We are aiming to respond to your appeal within 20 working days, that is by 18 July 2011. If for any reason we are unable to meet that target and need the full 40 working days permitted by the Environmental Information Regulations, we will keep you informed of when you may expect to receive a reply.

Yours sincerely

Valerie Hope Information Rights Team





