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Dear Ginny Rous,

Thank you for your email of 10 March 2017 where you requested the following information:

Please could you provide me with all emails between the Business Environment Directorate and

1- the Financial Reporting Council

2- auditors PWC, Deloitte, KPMG, Ernst & Young

Time Period: January 2013 - July 2013.

Subject matter: audit reform

From our preliminary assessment, it is clear that we will not be able to answer your request without further clarification.

The Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy requires further information in order to identify and locate the information you have asked for. Can you please clarify more specifically the audit reforms whose development concerns you and whether these were developed by a Ministerial Department of Government in the UK (please specify), by another body with regulatory responsibilities in the UK or by the Institutions of the European Union.

Once you have clarified your request, I will be able to begin to process your request. If I do not receive clarification within three months, your request will be considered to have lapsed. (Under section 1(3) of the Freedom of Information Act ('the Act'), a public authority need not comply with a request unless any further information reasonably required to locate the information is supplied).

Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

Yours sincerely,

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