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Mr Alan Bell Our ref: RFI 9395 1 November 2017

By email: request-438412-c39b44fa@whatdotheyknow.com

Dear Mr Bell,

REQUEST FOR INFORMATION: EU ESTABLISHMENT LISTING

Thank you for your request for information, which we received on 13 October 2017, about EU listing of third country food establishments. We have handled your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA).

There has been no correspondence with the EU requesting third country listing of UK food production establishments because the UK is a Member State, the information is therefore not held.

We attach an annex giving contact details should you be unhappy with the service you have received.

If you have any queries about this letter please contact me.

Yours sincerely,

Marie Taylor Information Rights Team InformationRequests@defra.gsi.gov.uk



Annex

Complaints

If you are unhappy with the service you have received in relation to your request you may make a complaint or appeal against our decision under section 17(7) of the FOIA or under regulation 18 of the EIRs, as applicable, within 40 working days of the date of this letter. Please write to Nick Teall, Head of Information Rights, Area 4A, Nobel House, 17 Smith Square, London, SW1P 3JR (email: lnformationRequests@defra.gsi.gov.uk) and he will arrange for an internal review of your case. Details of Defra's complaints procedure are on our website.

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, section 50 of the FOIA and regulation 18 of the EIRs gives you the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO) for a decision. Please note that generally the ICO cannot make a decision unless you have first exhausted Defra's own complaints procedure. The ICO can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office Wycliffe House Water Lane Wilmslow Cheshire SK9 5AF