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via whatdotheyknow.com

Date: **27 July 2015**

Dear Mr Giggins

Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information which was received on 29 June 2015.

You requested: *[...] contact details for the head of your Internal audit department and also the name and contact details of your external auditors.*

Your request has been considered under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

I can confirm that the information requested is held by the Department for Communities and Local Government and we are able to provide you with all this information. I have detailed below the information that is being released to you.

DCLG's internal audit service is provided by the Government Internal Audit Agency, an Agency of the Treasury. The Chief Executive of the Agency is Jon Whitfield CBE (address 3rd Floor, 1 Horse Guards Road, London SW1A 2HQ). The Head of Internal Audit for DCLG is Mike Reed (Ground Floor, 1 Horse Guards Road, London, SW1A 2HQ).

DCLG, like all government departments, uses the National Audit Office for its external audit service. The NAO can be contacted through DCLG's Accounts Team as below:

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If you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review which should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of this letter and should be addressed to:

Department for Communities and Local Government
Knowledge and Information Access Team
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If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. Generally, the ICO cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the internal review procedure provided by the Department.

The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

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

Phone: 0303 123 1113

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Yours sincerely

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