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Date: 2 February 2017

Dear Mr Benjamin

Freedom of Information Act 2000 - 2876232

Thank you for your request for information which was received on 8 November 2016.

You requested: *Please provide the following parameters or information in relation to each of the proposed LGPS pool structures for LGPS funds in England and Wales:*

- 1) The a) previously incurred and b) projected fees and charges associated with the establishment of each LGPS pool*
- 2) The list of external consultants and/or advisors working on the creation of each LGPS pool*
- 3) Levels of current LGPS underfunding - broken down for each LGPS scheme fund in the pool*
- 4) Risk assessment(s) undertaken as relates to the creation of each LGPS pool and the CIV or SPV structure which governs its operation*
- 5) The pooling proposal documents and underlying contracts consultants reports for each of the LGPS pools as submitted to DCLG*

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

I am writing to inform you that information on part 3.) of your request is not held by the Department for Communities and Local Government as it is not collated by the department. I have enclosed separately, due to their size, copies of the remainder of the information that is held.

Complaints procedure

If you are unhappy with this response, we will review it and report back to you. (This is called an internal review.) If you want us to do this, let us know by return email within two months of receiving this response. You can also ask by letter addressed to:

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Yours sincerely

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