DWP Central Freedom of Information Team

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Fol Ref: 111

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Dear Mr Newman,

I am writing in response to your review request received on 28 February 2012. An internal review has been carried out by someone of a more senior grade than dealt with it previously. I am now in a position to respond to you.

I will address your issues in turn:

Our response to IR61 was sent to your Whatdotheyknow.com account on 17th February 2012. Your query in respect of the date it became available should be addressed to the administrators of the website.

I have reviewed the previous responses to your requests for internal review and uphold the explanations provided.

Furthermore, as previously explained, under section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act the Department is not obliged to comply with your request to provide copies of learning material. I uphold the decision not to provide this material due to the disproportionate cost to the DWP of so doing. My decision is final and further requests for this material will also be declined.

Having concluded my review, I am satisfied that we responded correctly to your original request for information.

If you have any queries about this letter please contact me quoting the reference number above.

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Your right to complain under the Freedom of Information Act

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner's Office for a decision. Generally the Commissioner cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted our own complaints procedure. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: The Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow Cheshire SK9 5AF www.ico.gov.uk