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Our ref: E0006818

Date: 1st May 2013

Dear Mr Parker,

Request for Information : Farm Terrace Allotments, Watford

Thank you for your email of 15th April 2013 in which you requested information about the application to the Secretary of State for disposal of Farm Terrace Allotments, Watford.

Your request asked for the following information:

All copies of correspondence and communications between the Department for Communities and Local Government and Watford Borough Council between the 1/2/13 and 15/4/13.

I have considered your request under the terms of the Environmental Information Regulations 2004. I confirm that the Department holds the information that you have requested, and I am able to supply it to you. A copy of the information is enclosed, in the format you requested.

You will also note that I have redacted the names of officials and officers below Senior Civil Servant (SCS) level because (a) we take the view that you are probably not seeking this information, and (b) our view is, in any event, that the information also falls within the exceptions at Regulation 12(3) as defined by Regulation 13(1) and (2)(a) of the Environmental Information Regulations in so far as the disclosure of those names would not be fair and hence would contravene the first data protection principle in the Data Protection Act 1998.

A copy of the information has been downloaded to the following web site as you requested Request-157740-fafbdf9f@whatdotheyknow.com

As an organisation, the Department for Communities and Local Government aims to be as helpful as possible in the way it deals with requests for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 and the Environmental Information Regulations 2004. If, however, you are not satisfied with the way in which your request has been handled or the outcome, you may request an internal review within two calendar months of the date of this letter by contacting foirequests@communities.gsi.gov.uk

In the event that you remain dissatisfied following the Department's review you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner (ICO) for a decision. Generally, the ICO cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the Internal Review procedure provided by the Department.

If you have any queries about this letter, please contact me. Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications about this request.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'M. Ellis', written over a series of horizontal lines.

Mr M.Ellis