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Mr Sterry Via 'what do they know'

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Dear Mr Sterry

Thank you for your request for information regarding Ramridge Copse, Hampshire which we received on 17 July 2019.

It is my assessment that the information you are seeking is exempt under section 39(1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 because this information is "environmental information", as defined in regulation 2 of the Environmental Information Regulations 2004. Your request must therefore be considered under these Regulations.

The Regulations give requestors a right to information held by a public body at the time a request is received. Where information is not held by a public body there is no requirement to create the information in order to answer a question or request, the only requirement is for the person requesting the information to be advised that the information is not held.

Please find attached the information I judge to be in scope of your request. A small amount of personal information has been redacted to avoid a breach of data protection legislation. I have tried to deal with your request as fully as possible. If you have any questions then I would be happy to try and answer these for you. However, should you wish to complain about the way your request has been handled please contact:

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Yours sincerely

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