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Andrew Watson By e-mail

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Dear Mr Watson

Freedom of Information request (our ref. 15904): internal review

Thank you for your e-mail of 29 October 2010, in which you asked for an internal review of our response to your Freedom of Information (FoI) request about the Independent Scheme Assurance Panel.

I have now completed the review. I have consulted the policy unit which provided the original response. I have considered whether the correct procedures were followed and assessed the reasons why information was withheld from you. I confirm that I was not involved in the initial handling of your request.

My findings are set out in the attached report. My conclusion is that the original response was correct and that sections 12 and 35(1)(a) were correctly engaged.

This completes the internal review process by the Home Office. If you remain dissatisfied with the response to your Fol request, you have the right of complaint to the Information Commissioner at the following address:

The Information Commissioner
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire SK9 5AF

Yours sincerely

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