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Hi Marc - trust this finds you well? It has been a while now since we spoke, and I understand we have inadvertently sent contract documentation to the wrong email address. This is unfortunate as it has clearly delayed your formal appointment to undertake the review. I understood you would be able to start at the end of June as you had previously indicated, so it is frustrating for all parties that it now won't be until later this month. In any event, I believe the team are trying to contact you, to return the contract documentation, and I would very much appreciate it if you could do this at your earliest convenience.

We are looking forward to you commencing the review, and it continues to be very newsworthy. To that end, you should know it is likely to be the subject of a report on BBC 'Look East' on Thursday evening, following the receipt of a series of questions from a BBC journalist (no doubt informed by the Blakelands Residents Group). We can share our responses with you if needs be.

I know you have had an email exchange with Tammie, and we will be able to provide any necessary administrative support and the basic information you have asked for in terms of names of officers etc. Please liaise with Tammie on this in the first instance.

For your information, I am due to leave MKC at the end of this month, to take up a new role in my home town of Derby. As yet, we haven't agreed who will be the 'client' for the review following my departure, but this will be agreed before I go.

Regards

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