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Dear Katie,

I am pleased to approve your business appointment application to undertake a full-time, paid appointment with Global Radio as Head of Corporate Affairs. I am of the view that the post raises no particular propriety concerns, provided that you do not lobby the UK Government for two years from your last day of service on behalf of your employer, its parent company or its clients. Lobbying includes UK Government Ministers and Crown servants, including Special Advisers. In reaching this decision, I took into account that you did not have any contractual dealings with Global Radio or access to any commercially sensitive information about any competitors whilst in Crown service.

Please could you confirm in writing to me that you recognise you continue to be bound by the provisions of the criminal law (including the Official Secrets Act), which protect certain categories of information, and by your duty of confidentiality owed to the Crown.

Could you also inform me if you propose to extend or otherwise change your role in Global Radio as, depending on the circumstances, it may be necessary to make a fresh application.

Finally, the Advisory Committee on Business Appointments are required to publish details of the appointment on their website. As such, I'd be grateful if you could complete and return the attached form to the committee.

Best of luck in your new role!

Yours sincerely,

STEPHEN LOVEGROVE