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Date: **26 September 2016**

Dear [Redacted],

Your correspondence dated 28 August 2016 has been considered to be a request for information in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act 2000. You requested the following information:

Please send me

- *Details of all payments made to Developing Markets Associates Ltd. since June 1st 2010*
 - *Please include amounts and what the payments were for*
- *Details of all payments made to SCL Group Ltd since June 1st 2010*
 - *Please include amounts and what the payments were for*

Please find below the information you requested.

The MOD have no records of any direct payments made to Developing Markets Associates LTD since 1st June 2010.

The MOD have no records of any direct payments made to SCL Group Ltd since 1st June 2010 but the table below shows the recorded direct payments made to Strategic Communication Laboratories Ltd over this time period.

Contract Title	Fiscal Year	Net Payments (All)
PROVISION OF EXTERNAL TRAINING	10/11	£40,000
PROCUREMENT OF TARGET AUDIENCE ANALYSIS	14/15	£150,000

If you are not satisfied with this response or you wish to complain about any aspect of the handling of your request, then you should contact me in the first instance. If informal resolution is not possible and you are still dissatisfied then you may apply for an independent internal review by contacting the Information Rights Compliance team, 2nd Floor, MOD Main Building, Whitehall, SW1A 2HB (e-mail CIO-FOI-IR@mod.uk). Please note that any request for an internal review must be made within 40 working days of the date on which the attempt to reach informal resolution has come to an end.

If you remain dissatisfied following an internal review, you may take your complaint to the Information Commissioner under the provisions of Section 50 of the Freedom of Information Act. Please note that the Information Commissioner will not investigate your case until the MOD internal review process has

been completed. Further details of the role and powers of the Information Commissioner can be found on the Commissioner's website, <http://www.ico.org.uk>.

I hope you find this helpful.

Yours sincerely,

Defence Resources Secretariat