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Dear

Thank you for your email of 10 August 2015 requesting the following information:

"Ravenside Investments Limited (a wholly owned subsidiary of Land Securities Group PLC) is the owner of Westwood Cross shopping park. We have recently discovered tunnels underneath our property and have reason to believe that these were created by the army during the First World War as a training exercise. Despite extensive investigations we have not been able to ascertain the full extent of these tunnels. Our request for information is as follows:

- *Any maps or plans showing tunnels dug within the area edged light blue on the attached plan.*
- *Any other documentary record which may assist in locating such tunnels*

I am treating your correspondence as a request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA).

A search for the information has now been completed within the Ministry of Defence, and I can confirm that no information in scope of your request is held.

Under Section 16 of the Act (Advice and Assistance) you may find it helpful to note that historical information like this may be held in the National Archives which you can access at <http://www.nationalarchives.gov.uk/>.

Yours sincerely,

DIO Secretariat

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 DIO Secretariat in the first instance. If informal resolution is not possible and you are still dissatisfied then you may apply for an

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