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Thank you for your email of 3 December 2011 where you requested information about details of the regulations introduced and revoked by DCLG since May 2010. I have interpreted 'regulations' as referring to regulatory burdens. The full text of your original request is at Annex A.

I can confirm that DCLG holds this information. However I have not enclosed it because the information is exempt under Section 21 of the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) as it is already in the public domain. Please note the Parliamentary Questions on this topic below:

<http://www.publications.parliament.uk/pa/cm201011/cmhansrd/cm101124/text/101124w0001.htm#10112471000457>

<http://www.publications.parliament.uk/pa/cm201011/cmhansrd/cm111109/text/111109w0001.htm#11110990000757>

<http://www.publications.parliament.uk/pa/cm201011/cmhansrd/cm111103/text/111103w0004.htm#11110393002358>

<http://www.publications.parliament.uk/pa/cm201011/cmhansrd/cm110322/text/110322w0001.htm#1103239000457>

<http://www.publications.parliament.uk/pa/cm201011/cmhansrd/cm110316/text/110316w0001.htm#110316115001850>

The associated deposited papers can be found at: <http://deposits.parliament.uk/>

DCLG has introduced the following legislation, since May 2010, which has had significant deregulatory impact and has removed burdensome legislation.

<http://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukpga/2010/35/contents>

<http://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukpga/2011/20/contents/enacted>

<http://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2010/2135/contents/made>

<http://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2010/2184/contents/made>

<http://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2010/2568/contents/made>

<http://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2010/2214/contents/made>

<http://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2010/2215/contents/made>

<http://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2011/1398/contents/made>

<http://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2010/2417/contents/made>

<http://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2010/2417/contents/made>

<http://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2011/2914/contents/made>

<http://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2011/2728/contents/made>

<http://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2011/1824/contents/made>

More detail on the regulatory impact, of statutory instruments can be found in their associated Explanatory Memorandum and Impact Assessments, which are available in the public domain at:

<http://www.legislation.gov.uk/>

<http://www.communities.gov.uk>

## **Annex A**

Under the Freedom of Information act 2000, please disclose

i) Details of new regulations - including primary legislation, statutory instruments, etc - sponsored or enacted by the Department; and

ii) Details of regulations, including primary legislation, statutory instruments, etc, abolished, repealed or otherwise discontinued by the Department

since May 2010.

I would prefer to receive the information in electronic format, to the enclosed email address. However, if it is more convenient, I would be happy to receive the information in hard copy format.

If my request is denied in whole or part, I ask that you justify all deletions by reference to specific exemptions of the act. I will also expect you to release all segregable portions of otherwise exempt material.

I, of course, reserve the right to appeal your decision to withhold any information or to deny a waiver of fees.