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**Your ref:**  
**Our ref: RFI 5510**  
**Date: 23 May 2013**

Dear

**REQUEST FOR INFORMATION: Article 8.2 Consultation re Primates**

Thank you for your request for information about the Article 8.2 public consultation undertaken in 2005, which we received on 10<sup>th</sup> May 2013. As you know, we have handled your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA).

I enclose a copy of the information you requested: an electronic copy of the consultation letter; consultation document; list of consultees; partial RIA; and summary of responses.

Please note that these are the latest versions of the documents which we hold electronically. The consultation document was the one submitted for Ministerial approval, the partial RIA is the second draft and the summary of responses is the final draft. I therefore assume that in each case this was the final version.

I hope this is what you were after and it is helpful.

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I attach Annex A, which explains the copyright that applies to the information being released to you.

I also attach Annex B giving contact details should you be unhappy with the service you have received.



If you have any queries about this letter, please contact me.

Yours Sincerely

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## Annex A

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