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Dear [Redacted]

REQUEST FOR INFORMATION: Cattle and Badger Vaccination

Thank you for your request for information about badger and cattle vaccination spending, which we received on 01/09/2013. We have handled your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA).

The information you requested is set out below. Please note that costs for 2013/2014 and onwards are projections as the actual spend is determined by the nature of the experiments performed which cannot be predicted exactly. In particular spend in later years will change depending on the scientific progress in previous years. Oral vaccine research spend is currently costed to August 2015.

	Confirmed 2010/11	Confirmed 2011/12	Confirmed 2012/13	Projected 2013/14	Projected 2014/15	Projected 2015/16
Badger Injectable Vaccine Research	£301,943	£136,178	£87,959	£66,387	0	0
Badger Oral Vaccine Research	£2,476,273	£2,127,448	£1,684,948	£2,026,938	£1,611,936	£312,482
Cattle vaccines and associated diagnostics research	£2,683,843	£2,210,441	£2,709,163	£3,756,358	£2,041,534	£1,989,993

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

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Yours,

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Annex A

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