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Via email only:

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Dear *****

REQUEST FOR INFORMATION: *Compulsory Purchase of 'All those pieces or parcels of land situate in the Parishes of Thurrock and Billericay in the County of Essex'*

Thank you for your request for information about *Compulsory Purchase of land in the County of Essex*, which we received on 13/09/2013. As you know, we have handled your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA).

Following a search of our paper and electronic records, we have established that the information that you have requested has been destroyed in accordance with our records disposal policy.

I attach an annex giving contact details should you be unhappy with the service that you have received.

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

Yours

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Annex

Complaints

If you are unhappy with the service you have received in relation to your request you may make a complaint or appeal against our decision under section 17(7) of the FOIA or under regulation 18 of the EIRs, as applicable, within 40 working days of the date of this letter. Please write to Mike Kaye, Head of Information Standards, Area 4D, Nobel House, 17 Smith Square, London, SW1P 3JR (email: requestforinfo@defra.gsi.gov.uk) and he will arrange for an internal review of your case. Details of Defra's complaints procedure are on our [website](#).

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, section 50 of the FOIA and regulation 18 of the EIRs gives you the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. Please note that generally the Information Commissioner cannot make a decision unless you have first exhausted Defra's own complaints procedure. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

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