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Dear [REDACTED],

**REQUEST FOR INFORMATION: UK imports of marine and other fish**

Thank you for your request for information, which we received on 12 January 2015, about the total number of UK imports of marine and some other species of fish per exporting country. We have handled your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA).

I enclose a copy of the information that you have requested:

- a table showing the total number of UK imports of marine and some other species of fish per exporting country

The attached table shows total number of fish imported by the UK in 2012, 2013 and 2014 under commodity codes 030110 and 0301190. These two commodity codes are used for marine fish and some other species of fish.

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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,

[REDACTED]

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