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Dear

RE: FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST

Thank you for your email of 8th September enquiring whether the Department of Energy and Climate Change (DECC) had made use of the Uber car hire/taxi service in the last year.

I can confirm that, from records held, there is no indication that there has been any vehicle or taxi service to DECC provided by Uber in the period April 2014 to end August 2015. The company is not shown in our database of all suppliers to DECC nor do any card transactions in the same period show that the Uber service has been used.

Appeal Procedure

If you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review. Internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be addressed to:-

Information Rights Unit (DECC Shared Service)

Department for Business, Innovation & Skills

1 Victoria Street

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E-mail: foi.requests@bis.gsi.gov.uk

Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The

Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.

Yours sincerely