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{By Email}

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Dear [REDACTED]

## PROVISION OF REQUESTED INFORMATION

Thank you for your request for information Import of Dogs which we received on 12 July 2018. Your request has been handled under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOI).

The information you requested and our response is detailed below:

“thank you for the information provided. I should have clarified my request with regards to Macedonia. It is the number of dogs entering from Macedonia with Macedonia as country of origin as I believe they would enter through Bulgarian BIP and not Croatian. Please provide for 2014-2108.”

Our response:

The number of dogs from Macedonia including dogs which entered the EU through a BIP in Bulgaria with a destination of the UK is as follows:

2014 – 0  
2015 – 1  
2016 – 0  
2017 – 0  
2018 to date – 0

This data was extracted from TRACES using the Data Warehouse facility. This information is a true reflection of the information that we have access to. We can't guarantee the accuracy of this data, as we can only rely on the information that has been input into TRACES by a third party.

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Yours sincerely

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