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My Ref: CLR/LSD

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Dear Mr Churchill

FOIA/EIR and Coombes Farm

I refer to your Freedom of Information Act/Environmental Information Regulations request of the 9 December 2010. Further to my interim response of the 6 January, I appreciate the clarification in your email of the 17 January.

The Council believes this cumulative request for information falls more appropriately for consideration under the Environmental Information Regulations.

Given the extensive nature of the request which is considered to be both complex and voluminous, I write to extend the 20 working days response period to 40 working days from the date of the original request. Including the period awaiting the clarification sought in my interim response, I therefore intend to issue you with a formal response on or before 17 February 2011.

Rochford District Council confirms that it does hold information covered by your request but because of the extensive nature of the request and need to assess the exceptions in the regulations, we need further time in which to provide the response to you.

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Rochford District Council
Council Offices
South Street
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Yours sincerely

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