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Department of Finance and Deregulation

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Dear Mr Chafer

Joint Committee of Public Accounts and Audit – Request for information

Thank you for your correspondence of 13 November 2009, seeking confirmation of evidence submitted to the Joint Committee of Public Accounts and Audit on 28 October 2009.

The Department of Finance and Deregulation confirms that it has agreed an approach with the Department of Defence to allow Finance early and ongoing involvement in the evaluation of capability development proposal costings.

Yours sincerely

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