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## Dear Section 40

Many thanks for your letter of 5th March I986, concerning the appearence of circles at various locations throughout Southern England, and for the copy of the report. As it turns out I already have a complete copy (including names) of this report which I obtained during the course of my investigations.

Whilst I understand, from previous correspondance from the Ministry, that your interest in UFO's and related subjects is restricted to possible defence implications, and that for financial reasons involvement in scientific studies would not be considered. I felt sure that in this case you would have had more information. Throughout the press coverage, both TV and newspapers, there has been more than the usual indication that the MOD were involved. To quote one press report from August 1985:-

'The Army have begun investigations into the markings for the Ministry of Defence and photographs were being taken by Helicopter during the week.'

Initially 1 thought that this actually referred to the report by Section 40 which you sent to me, but have since been told that this is not the case by several sources, some of whom contacted me as a result of the enclosed article.

Obviously if you have no other information regarding this particular case then there is nothing more to be said. However should anything more come to light concerning this or anything similar I would appreciate being kept in mind if such information could be passed on.

Yours sincerely Section 40