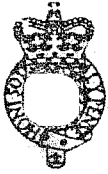


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Dear Section 40

Thank you for your letter of 12 December and your reminder of 18 March. I am sorry that it has taken me so long to reply.

To answer your two easier questions first:

1. The form which was sent to you with Section 40 letter of 6 December is complete, ie nothing was omitted before sending it on to you.
2. I am afraid I can be of little help to you on the reported sightings in North Yorkshire during August. We received only one report during the month which is very sketchy indeed (copy attached), and I have no knowledge of any of the claims alluded to in your letter.

As to the study which you mentioned in your letter of 18 March, work is in hand at the moment to trace the document. I must admit that I was unaware of such a study and this is the reason why it has not been referred to in the past. Should we manage to locate it I will of course let you know.

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