

GREATER LONDON AUTHORITY

[REDACTED]
(By email)

Our Ref: MGLA161020-7434

3 November 2020

Dear [REDACTED]

Thank you for your further correspondence which the Greater London Authority (GLA) received on 7 October 2020 and 15 October. Your request has been dealt with under the Freedom of Information Act 2000

You asked for:

- 1. Natural England's "statements" as referenced in the email you have "reproduced" to me (as dated 7/12/18 at 11.37) with evidence that they were sent from Natural England as part of the same email correspondence?*
- 2. a screenshot of the email received from Natural England on 7 December 2018 at 11.37 showing that the email is authentic and that it was sent with an attachment?*
- 3. a screenshot of the "properties" section of the attachment purportedly sent with the email from Natural England on 7 December 2018 showing when the document was created?*

The email dated 7 December 2018 11.37 which you say is from Natural England does not include the attachment mentioned in the email. The message also does not include any symbol that shows there was an attachment on the email. Indeed there is no evidence that the wording you have sent me is part of an email or that it is taken from a missive that was sent from Natural England.

I request that you send me information that leaves no doubt as to its authenticity or date of production/ on which it was sent.

Please send me:

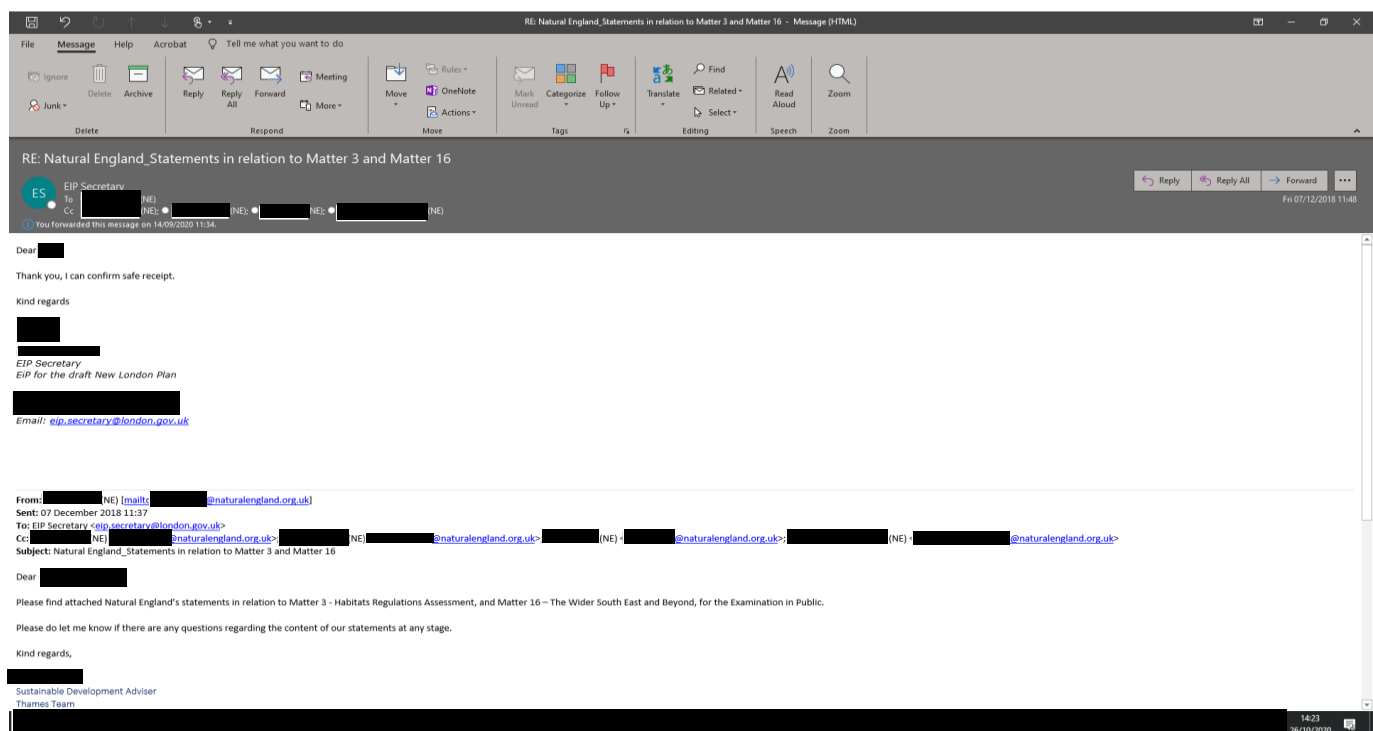
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Our response to your request is as follows:

We have sent you the information we hold within scope of your request¹. We hold a copy of the email chain confirming receipt of the email from "Natural England's statements in relation to Matter 3 - Habitats Regulations Assessment, and Matter 16 – The Wider South East and Beyond, for the Examination in Public". We do not hold a copy of the email we are responding to confirm receipt with the attachment. The attachment was published on our website and we directed you to this as part of our response.

Below is a screenshot of the email of 7 December 2018 as requested:



As mentioned above, I am unable to send a screenshot of the preceding email with the attachment displayed because we only hold our response to that email chain.

If you have any further questions relating to this matter, please contact me, quoting the reference at the top of this letter.

Yours sincerely

Information Governance Officer

¹ <https://www.london.gov.uk/about-us/governance-and-spending/sharing-our-information/freedom-information/foi-disclosure-log/eir-natural-england-hra-consultation-response-sep-2020>

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<https://www.london.gov.uk/about-us/governance-and-spending/sharing-our-information/freedom-information>