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Dear Sirs,

Allegations concerning Boris Johnson and Jennifer Arcuri

I acknowledge receipt of your letter dated 8 October 2019, on behalf of your client, The Rt Honourable Boris Johnson MP.

I will report back to the GLA Oversight Committee at its public meeting on 16 October 2019 that your client has not provided the information requested.

I note but do not agree with your views on the GLA Oversight Committee's remit.

The Committee is of course mindful of the IOPC process now underway and will take steps as necessary to respect those processes.

Transparency and accountability are at the heart of the London Assembly's operations and I was disappointed to see that your response is marked 'Private and Confidential' and 'Not for Publication'. The reason for confidentiality is not given and, on the face of it, is unclear to me. I would request that you provide reasons for that confidentiality by **5pm on Monday 14 October 2019**, so that the GLA Oversight Committee can consider appropriate handling of the letter.

You provided hard copies of your letter by post, for onward transmission to Members of the GLA Oversight Committee. Accordingly, I have now provided those Members with a copy.

Yours faithfully



Len Duvall AM
Chair of the GLA Oversight Committee

cc: Members of the GLA Oversight Committee