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Dear Gerald Blee

We were informed that this case was to be re-investigated on 16 February 2012.

Despite the fact that the ASA has taken nearly 10 months to complete its draft recommendation, H:MC21 (a very much smaller organisation) is now being required to respond to this investigation in only 7 working days, and those 7 days just before Christmas.

We will need to establish the availability of the adviser who has dealt with this on our behalf, and he will need to scrutinise the recommendation in the light of the evidence submitted and the previous correspondence. Had we had some warning that your response was going to be sent, we could have made the necessary arrangements in advance. As it is, we see no way of completing this process in the time granted us, and no justification for such urgency after so long a period.

We suggest that the response be required by 25 January 2013.

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