Freedom of Information Request Reference No:

I respond in connection with your request for information dated 27th January 2010 which was received by the Metropolitan Police Service (MPS) on the same date. I note you seek access to the following information:

ITV news would like to acquire:

- 1) Any material or correspondence that were conducted with the portugese police during 2007.
- 2) Any correspondence that either Leicestershire police or the MET Police had with the Home Office in relation to Madeline's disappearance.
- 3) Transcripts of any interviews that were held with the McCanns or other witnesses.
- 4) Any information that you now consider no longer part of an ongoing investigation.

Following receipt of your request searches were conducted within the MPS to locate information relevant to your request.

EXTENT OF SEARCHES TO LOCATE INFORMATION

To locate the information relevant to your request searches were conducted within the Specialist Crime Directorate (SCD).

RESULT OF SEARCHES

The searches failed to locate any information relevant to your request, therefore, the information you have requested is not held by the MPS.

For your information the publication strategy for material relating to Operation Task is published on the Leicestershire Constabulary website.

http://www.leics.police.uk/files/library/documents/op-task-publication-strategy.pdf