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Our ref:  
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Dear Mr Henderson

## EDINBURGH TRAM PROJECT – FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST

I refer to your request for information about the Edinburgh Trams project under the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002 (FOISA) which I received on 9 September 2011.

Your request was cited as “Cyril Sweet were employed by Transport Scotland to verify the cost assumptions of the Edinburgh Tram Project and the findings were used to inform Tie’s 2006 draft final business case. Could I see a copy of that report? I would be grateful if this request could be treated in accordance with FOISA “.

I can confirm that Cyril Sweet were not employed by Transport Scotland to verify the cost assumptions of the Edinburgh Tram Project. Accordingly the information you have requested is not held by Transport Scotland and we are unable to further assist with your enquiry.

If you are unhappy with this response to your request, you may ask us to carry out an internal review by writing to David Middleton, Chief Executive, Transport Scotland, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor, Buchanan House, 58 Port Dundas Road, Glasgow, G4 0HF. Your request should explain why you wish a request to be carried out, and should be made within 40 working days of receipt of this letter, and we will reply within 20 working days of receipt. If you are not satisfied with the result of the review, you then have the right to make a formal complaint to the Scottish Information Commissioner.

Yours sincerely

JOHN RAMSAY

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