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Stewart
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I need to say to you both that as we stand under the **Fitchie secondment arrangement**, DLA Piper has approximately £285k unbilled time (from late October 07 to date) which represents the overage of my time spent on the **tie** procurement. Exact numbers follow.


The secondment fee was set on the basis of an 8 hour, 21 day a month basis. As matters have worked out, at the tram hourly rate of £162.50 (which was applied to set up the secondment rate of £1,300 per day), the figures show that I have delivered an additional 1750 hours to support the procurement to close.

Please could we discuss this with a view to reaching agreement on how the additional time could be treated. It would not be fair, I think, for DLA Piper to sustain a write -off of this magnitude because the level of my involvement has far exceeded the secondment parameter in terms of time commitment. The extra time is curiously almost equal to the total secondment fee through to the end of June.

I am working through the quote for the close documentation.

Many thanks.

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