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Dear

Supplier Support Services Review: consultation process deferred

Earlier this year we announced our intention to review supplier support projects funded as part of the Community Legal Service. We have conducted a review and have decided to allow more time for analysis and consideration of the issues. Therefore we have deferred the start of the consultation process.

We remain committed to developing proposals for the future funding of supplier support projects and to undertaking a public consultation about these proposals. We will announce the period of consultation in due course.

The projects to be reviewed are the same as in our original announcement: Specialist Support Services and CLS Grants for the Royal Courts of Justice CAB, the Solicitors Pro Bono LawWorks project, the Law Centres Federation and the Advice Services Alliance.

Please note that I will be leaving this post on 24 November to take up a new job outside the Commission. The Commission is making arrangements for another person to lead on the review and will keep you informed about developments.

If you have any queries after 24 November, please contact Sheena Symes, the Civil Policy team administrator, by telephone on: 0207 759 1446 or by e-mail to: sheena.symes@legalservices.gov.uk.

Thank you.

Yours sincerely,



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