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Sent: 06 March 2012 13:21 To: foip@saha.org.za Cc: Lenacia Kamineth

Subject: FW: ATTENTION: MS TAMMY O'CONNOR - YOUR REQUEST FOR ACCESS TO

**INFORMATION** 

## Dear Madam

Your request for access to information per your form dated 21 February 2012, received by these offices on the same date refers.

Your request is as follows:

"A copy of any proposals, tenders or other plans put forward by Ross Demolition for the disposal of the rubble to be generated by the demolition of the Athlone cooling towers."

Kindly be advised that:

Ross Demolition was sub-contracted to Jet Demolition of Gauteng who used the local contractor for the availability of conventional plant, equipment and personnel which saved the effort of bringing all of the required tools and equipment from Gauteng.

The main method of demolition was by implosion through the use of a very specialised explosive charge system which was triggered on 22 August 2010 and this is where Jet Demolition came into the picture.

Jet Demolition controlled the contract and issued all invoices for the work done on the site. Ross demolition was <u>subcontracted</u> to provide for the site preparation and then site clearance around the main implosion event on the day, under the control of Jet.

You would therefore have to request the relevant information from the Information Officer at Jet Demolition.

I have in the interim asked the relevant official here at the City for any further information which we might have regarding the <u>disposal of the rubble</u>. He is on leave until 14 March 2012 and I will be on leave from Monday 12 March 2012 until 29 March 2012. I have therefore cc'd Mrs Lenacia Kamineth in on this email. Should the official furnish us with any information, Mrs Kamineth will gladly assist by forwarding the information to you.

Furthermore, please find attached an Excel Sheet containing the list of contracts entered into between the City of Cape Town and Ross Demolition. As will be noted, to date no contracted was directly entered into between the City and Ross Demolition since 11 June 2009.

I have also attached the copy of the Form and Offer of Acceptance entered into between Jet Demotition and the City of Cape Town in respect of the demolition of the cooling towers.

I trust that you find the above in order.

Yours Faithfully

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