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## Dear Mr Sabir

I am writing in response to your request for information of 24 March 2010 about funding by Communities and Local Government (CLG) and its related bodies to the National Muslim Women's Advisory Group. Your request has been considered under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. I can confirm that Communities and Local Government does hold the information that you have requested and that I am able to provide you with the requested information.

The following funding has been allocated the NMWAG:

Total	£58,923.00	£153,940.00	£212,863.00
2009/10	£6,357.00	£143,965.00	£150,322.00
2008/09	£30,349.00	£9,975.00	£40,324.00
2007/08	£22,217.00	£0	£22,217.00
Financial Year	NMWAG Running Costs (travel expenses, training etc)	NMWAG Projects (Role Models, Civic Participation, Theology)	Total

So far, £125,502.00 has been contractually committed to deliver NMWAG projects in 2010/11. Any future funding decisions would be a matter for Ministers after the general election.

This funding has all been allocated from the Preventing Extremism Division's programme budget.

Communities and Local Government as an organisation aims to be as helpful as possible in the way it deals with requests for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 and the Environmental Information Regulations 2004. If, however, you are not satisfied with the way in which your request has been handled or the outcome, you may request an internal review within two calendar months of the date of this letter. Information about the Department's review procedures and how to apply for an internal review of your case is contained on the Department's website at: <a href="http://www.communities.gov.uk">http://www.communities.gov.uk</a>. This also explains your right to apply

directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision in the event that you remain dissatisfied following the authority's review.

If you have any queries about this letter, please contact me at:  $\underline{\texttt{peu@communities.gsi.gov.uk}}\;.$ 

Yours sincerely

## **Ingrid Barnes**

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