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Dear Ms Philp,

Re: Reference Number A2239

In response to your letter dated 22 June 2006, we would advise the following:

- The QRTSA wishes to revoke authorisation A2239.
- The revocation is sought on the basis that the Association no longer provides this information to its members nor wishes to do so in the future.
- The last time we provided this information would have been approximately 10 years ago.

In essence the rationalisation of banner groups within the independent food sector has led to a situation where this information is provided by the wholesaler. At the time QRTSA provided this information, there was a large number of independent retailers who were not aligned to a particular banner group. They in turn looked to us for this detail.

These changes, along with the rationalisation within the supply sector reached a point where there was little demand for this service, so we stopped doing it.

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Regards,

**IAN F BALDOCK,
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