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By hand delivery and email to: rjw [GRO] and irh [GRO]

10th March 2015

Dear Sirs

Initial Complaint Review and Mediation Scheme ("the Scheme")

The current status of the Scheme is that all Applicants have submitted their Case Questionnaire Responses and Post Office has finished all its Investigation Reports. Second Sight is still producing its Case Review Reports ("**CRRs**").

The Working Group has continued to decide on whether to recommend cases for mediation albeit without the assistance of JFSA who have registered a standing vote in favour of mediation on all cases whilst declining to participate fully in the discussion of those cases at Working Group meetings.

CEDR is managing cases through the mediation process as the Working Group has decided that it has no role in that process.

Post Office has decided that we will put forward for mediation all cases remaining in the Scheme except those that have been subject to a previous Court ruling. Having now completed all our investigations, Post Office has found no reason to conclude that any original prosecution was unsafe (and in this regard, Second Sight has expressly acknowledged that matters relating to criminal law and procedure are outside its scope of expertise). It is therefore Post Office's view that there is no reasonable prospect of mediation assisting with the resolution of the complaints raised in those cases.

In light of this change, Post Office has decided to close the Working Group with immediate effect. CEDR will continue to be engaged to oversee the mediation process but, as per our other letter to you today, Post Office's engagement of Second Sight will cease with effect from 10 April 2015. We will write to you separately regarding the work to be delivered during your notice period and with our proposals as to how Second Sight could support Applicants thereafter.

I have sent similar letters to both Sir Anthony Hooper and JFSA notifying them of these changes.

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Yours faithfully

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