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Dear

## **FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000**

I refer to your request for information dated 3 October 2008, which we have dealt with under the terms of the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

You asked for information relating to the number of articulated lorry trailers that have been registered.

Whilst there is no registration scheme for trailers, VOSA does hold information regarding the number of trailers that we have a record of plating and testing.

Our records show the following in respect of trailer coupling values found between 01 April 2007 and 31 March 2008:

Number	Coupling Type
76634	No value
231	Automatic
5342	Drawbar
6	Dolly
101372	Fifthwheel
7283	Other
31438	Semi- Trailer
222306	Total

If you have any queries about this letter, please contact me. Please remember to quote the reference number **F0001519** in any future communications.

If you are unhappy with the response provided, you may ask for an internal review. To request an internal review, please write to:

VOSA Corporate Office,  
Berkeley House,  
Croydon Street,  
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or email [vosa.corporateoffice@vosa.gsi.gov.uk](mailto:vosa.corporateoffice@vosa.gsi.gov.uk)

giving the reasons for your dissatisfaction. It will help us if you quote the reference number for your case.

If you do not agree with the outcome of the internal review, you may lodge an appeal with the Information Commissioner ([www.informationcommissioner.gov.uk](http://www.informationcommissioner.gov.uk)). The Information Commissioner is an independent official appointed by the Crown to oversee the Data Protection Act 1998, the Freedom of Information Act 2000 and the Environmental Information Regulations 2004.

The Information Commissioner can consider complaints about any aspect of the way in which requests for information have been handled. Please note: the Information Commissioner would be unlikely to consider your complaint if you have not first requested an internal review.

You can write to the Information Commissioner at:

The Information Commissioner's Office  
Wycliffe House,  
Water Lane,  
Wilmslow,  
Cheshire  
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Yours sincerely

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