

**From:** [REDACTED] (NE)  
**To:** [REDACTED] (NE);  
**Subject:** FW: Chicken Farm  
**Date:** 10 September 2012 12:10:32

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[REDACTED]

This follows on from my session with [REDACTED] on Friday – [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

Can you let me have your response/answers to the points below. We can then discuss.

[REDACTED]

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**From:** [REDACTED] (ERG-BIO)  
**Sent:** 10 September 2012 10:30  
**To:** [REDACTED] (NE)  
**Subject:** Chicken Farm

Hi [REDACTED]

We spoke about the chicken farm licence on Friday and you said that NE still feels there is a legitimate case for a licence here with the original commitment given to the applicant by NE to consider this “in September”.

We discussed what would be helpful for me to know and you said you would check some details. I think this would be:

- [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

- When would you be looking to issue a licence?
- When you might envisage the applicants acting on a licence? (or the likely expiry date of a licence)
- If there was an option for trapping and releasing elsewhere rather than shooting?

This will need extremely careful handling especially with regard to getting a messaging strategy in place before this progresses. No doubt we'll talk more

Thanks

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