

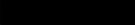
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Your ref **131881** Peter Jones

Dear 

Thank you for your letter of 18 November regarding complaint 131881 from Peter Jones.

With regards to the contention that we should additionally clarify that it was WRAP's - not DEFRA's - claim that most recyclable material is sub-standard, I would make the following points:

1. This claim was carried in a DEFRA report (see attached). As such, it has clearly been adopted by DEFRA as valid research.
2. DEFRA is a key funder of WRAP.

For these reasons, I cannot agree that it is necessary for us to clarify this extra point.

Nevertheless, do let me know if you require any further information on this from me or would like to discuss the matter further.

Yours sincerely,

  
Group Managing Editor