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Dear Sirs,

**Re: J. A. Donovan -v- Shell UK Limited**

We enclose for your information a letter which we have sent to a Company called Cofton Consultants, the contents of which are self-explanatory.

We should be most grateful if you could confirm that Shell has and never has had any connection with this Company whether in relation to John Donovan, Don Marketing UK Limited, the current or past litigation, or in any other respect.

Yours faithfully,

**Royds Treadwell**

**Encls**

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The Managing Director,  
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Dear Sirs,

**Re: John Donovan -v- Shell UK Limited**

We attach a copy of our fax sent to you on 15th June and are extremely surprised to have received no acknowledgment let alone a reply.

This matter is extremely important and would you please do us the courtesy of an immediate response.

Yours faithfully,

**Royds Treadwell**

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Dear Sirs,

**Re: John Donovan -v- Shell UK Limited**

We act on behalf of Mr. Donovan who is the proprietor of Don Marketing UK Limited and who is involved in litigation with the above Company.

Our Client has just been informed that a little while ago someone describing himself as Christopher Phillips of your Company visited Don Marketing's registered office address at St. Andrew's Castle, Bury St. Edmunds, asking pointed questions about the Company and the litigation.

Perhaps you would like to explain, by return fax, precisely what your interest in this matter is and why you deemed it necessary to make personal enquiries at a business centre address without making any attempt to contact either Mr. Donovan or ourselves.

This is an urgent matter which we trust will receive a prompt response.

Yours faithfully,

**Royds Treadwell**