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Ref: NET/E/TH/350

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Dear Sarah,

Re: CORESO Membership Fees for 2021-22 - Final Dt Approval

Thank you for the opex Dt submission of the 31 March 2021 regarding CORESO membership fees.

As per the Final Determination¹, we have decided that these stable charges should be provided for via base costs rather than through the uncertainty mechanism. As such, no allowance has been provided for (as detailed below).

Tariff Year	SONI Request (April 2021 prices)	UR Allowance (April 2021 prices)
2021-22	£250k	£0k

It is our view that the Final Determination should only be re-opened for a major change of circumstance between the decision and the finalisation of the licence drafting or if some substantial new information comes to light that could not reasonably have been presented to us before. Our focus is therefore on ensuring that licence modifications give full effect to these decisions.

Should you have any comments, queries or issues regarding this letter, feel free to contact Jody O'Boyle.

Yours sincerely.

Tanya Hedley

Director of Network Operations

¹ See <u>Final Determination</u>, para 6.18, page 48.