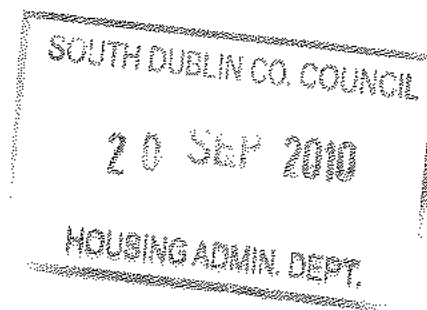


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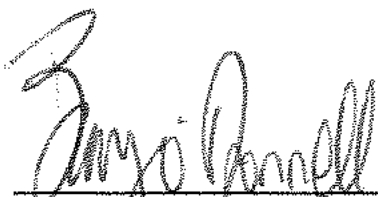
Dear Ms Rooney,

I am directed by the Minister for Justice and Law Reform, Mr Dermot Ahern T.D., to refer to your correspondence of 30 April 2010. The delay in replying is regretted.

The allocation of Garda resources, including personnel, is a matter in the first instance for the Garda Commissioner and senior Garda management. I am however informed that the personnel strength of Tallaght Garda Station on the latest date for which figures are readily available was 202. Tallaght Garda Station forms part of the Tallaght Garda District and the personnel strength of that District, as at the same date, was 280.

A copy of this letter has also issued to the Garda Commissioner for his attention.

Yours sincerely,



Private Secretary