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Dear Mr Lewis

Your letter dated 27 July 2007, received by the TRC Unit on 26 September 2007, refers.

The DoJ and CD reiterates its view, as expressed in previous correspondence (dated 26 October 2006), that commenting on this matter would amount to giving legal advice. Since the Department is precluded from giving legal advice to private persons/institutions, we are unable to comment on the legal status of NASPERS/MEDIA24.

In addition, and again as expressed in previous correspondence (19 July 2007), the DoJ and CD, and by implication the TRC Unit, does not investigate any companies. **Our mandate in respect of TRC matters is to monitor the implementation of the TRC recommendations and report to Parliament via Cabinet.**

Yours sincerely


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