Fwd: Letter on Behalf of Citizen Lab to South Yorkshire Pensions Authority

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Dear Professor Delbert

Thank you for your letter of 4th July with regard to the Authority's investment in Novalpina Capital.

As I indicated in my previous response to you we have had discussions with Novalpina about their investment in NSO and raised with them the concerns raised in your letter and those of other civil society groups. At this stage we are content that the steps being taken by Novalpina are appropriate and we will monitor the delivery of their plans as part of our ongoing oversight of the investment, as we would do with any other investment.

With regard to your separate points with regard to investments in companies selling to Saudi Arabia and the recent court case the UK government has announced a review of current export licences which will determine the position going forward.

Thank you for your interest in the Authority's investments.

Yours sincerely

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Dear Mr. Graham

Please find attached a follow up letter to the issues raised below. We appreciate your attention to the matters outlined therein.

All the best Ron

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