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Mr Roger Clarke  
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Dear Mr Clarke,

Thank you for your letter dated 3 February 2012.

The Australian Bureau of Statistics has a long history of taking the privacy of respondents seriously and we continue to do so. I have asked Denise Carlton, Acting Assistant Statistician, the Office of the Statistician and External Engagement, to respond to your queries.

You can contact Denise Carlton on (02) 6252 5731 if you have any concerns.

Sincerely,

Brian Pink  
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