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**Freedom of Information Request**

Thank you for your e-mail enquiry of 18<sup>th</sup> July 2012 requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) on contracts between the Department of Energy and Climate Change and G4 Security.

You specifically asked:

1. How many previous contracts G4S have been awarded by this Department in the last ten years
2. whether there were always performance measures in place to manage G4S contracts during that time ?
3. are there performance measures in place now, if not? and since when?
4. what are the performance measures?
5. what were the results of the performance measures for each of G4S's previous contracts with the Department for Energy and Climate Change and
6. whether you could see them (bearing in mind commercial sensitivities which could be blacked out).

The Department of Energy and Climate Change was established in October 2008. Departmental records show that no contracts have been entered into with G4S.

**Appeal Procedure**

If you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review. Internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be addressed to the department. Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.

Yours sincerely

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