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Thank you for your email of 6 December 2012. You have requested the following information:

Please could you provide information on the average (mean) age of the civil servants who work at the Department for Energy and Climate Change? Please could you specify how many civil servants work in the department (i.e. the sample size)?

Freedom of Information Act 2000

• Your request has been handled under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 ('the Act'). Under the Act, in which you have the right to:

- know whether we hold the information you have requested and;
- be provided with that information (subject to any exemptions under the Act which may apply).

As at 30 November 2012 there were 1,419 civil servants working for the Department of Energy and Climate Change. The average (mean) age of those people was 39.4 years.

If you are unhappy with the result of your request for information, you may request an internal review within two calendar months of the date of this email. If you wish to request an internal review, please contact us.

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 Commissioners Office
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Please do not hesitate to contact me if I can be of further assistance.