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Dear 8th July 2016

**FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST: ref/STRB/01-16/**

Thank you for your email sent on the 30th June 2016 in which you requested the following information:

1. ***Under the Freedom of Information Act I would like a copy of the advisory report by the STRB to the Secretary of State of Education that was sent this year 2016 but not yet published.***
2. ***I would also like copies of any communication between the STRB and Nicky Morgan, Secretary of State, relating to teacher pay and conditions.***

Under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 ('the Act'), you have the right to:

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

The 2016 STRB advisory report has now been published and you can download or view a copy from this [link](https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/school-teachers-review-body).

In relation to your second request please see attached letter from School Teachers’ Review Body (STRB) chair Patricia Rice to Nicky Morgan, Department for Education (DfE) Secretary of State. This was the letter with which the Review Body submitted the report. There was no further correspondence prior to publication.

 **Appeals Procedure**

If you are unhappy with the way the Office of Manpower Economicshas handled your request you may ask for an internal review. You should contact me at the Office of Manpower Economicsif you wish to complain.

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

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Yours sincerely,



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