

# Freedom of Information request 2247/2013

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## Information request

*Under the **Freedom of Information Act** will you please supply me with the following information:-*

- 1. Documents, legislation, directives, orders, and any other information, setting out the parameters for the payment of Savings Credit, this to include information regarding the eligibility for the payment of Savings Credit and any formula for the calculation of Savings Credit.*
- 2. Documents, legislation, directives, orders, and any other information, setting out any changes to ways in which Savings Credit has been calculated for the past ten years.*

## DWP response

I can confirm that we hold information falling within the description specified in your request. I can also confirm some of the information you requested is publicly available. However, for the documents you have requested that are not publicly available we estimate that the cost of complying with your request would exceed the appropriate limit of £600. The appropriate limit has been specified in regulations and for central Government it is set at £600. This represents the estimated cost of one person spending 3½ working days in determining whether the Department holds the information, and locating, retrieving and extracting the information. Under section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act the Department is not obliged to comply with your request and we will not be processing your request further.

However I have provided links below to the information already publicly available.

2013-14 impact assessment

[https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment\\_data/file/175013/social-security-benefits-uprating-order-2013.pdf.pdf](https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/175013/social-security-benefits-uprating-order-2013.pdf.pdf)

2013-14 Up-rating order

<http://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukdsi/2013/9780111533598/contents>

The Social Security Benefits Up-rating Order 2013

<http://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2013/574/contents/made>

The Social Security Benefits Up-rating Order 2012

<http://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2012/780/contents/made>

The Social Security Benefits Up-rating Order 2011

<http://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2011/821/contents/made>

The Social Security Benefits Up-rating Order 2010

<http://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2010/793/contents/made>

The Social Security Benefits Up-rating Order 2009

<http://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2009/497/contents/made>

The Social Security Benefits Up-rating Order 2008

<http://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2008/632/contents/made>

The Social Security Benefits Up-rating Order 2007

<http://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2007/688/contents/made>

The Social Security Benefits Up-rating Order 2006

<http://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2006/645/contents/made>

The Social Security Benefits Up-rating Order 2005

<http://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2005/522/contents/made>

The Social Security Benefits Up-rating Order 2004

<http://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2004/552/contents/made>