

# Freedom of Information request 1852/2013

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## Information request

*Please explain at length what happens to persons who have been denied benefits of any kind and fall through the poverty net and succumb to despair, homelessness, starvation and death.*

*What steps are being taken to monitor this?*

*How would it be remedied and what moves are being made to stop this before it spirals out of control?*

*Identify the impact assessments responsible for recognising these unacceptable occurrences.*

## DWP response

Freedom of Information is only about providing recorded information held and not about providing benefit advice or creating new information to respond to queries. When a person gets no help from the state, or is not engaged with the state we would not hold information on that group.