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Freedom of Information Act 2000: Tobacco Tax

Thank you for your enquiry of 6 February 2018, which we have considered under the terms of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (the FOI Act).

You asked for the following information:

"I am ... looking at the tobacco industry and I would like to know the financial figures of cigarette Tax Income and costs to the NHS resulting from smoking."

I can confirm that HM Treasury does not hold information within the scope of your request.

However, to be helpful, information on tobacco duty receipts is published online by HM Revenue and Customs at:

<https://www.uktradeinfo.com/Statistics/Pages/TaxAndDutybulletins.aspx>

Information on the costs to the NHS from smoking is published online by the Department of Health and Social Care at:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/towards-a-smoke-free-generation-tobacco-control-plan-for-england>

If you have any queries about this letter, please contact us. Please quote the reference number above in any future communications.