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Dear [REDACTED]

Thank you for your email requesting the following information:

“Under the Freedom of Information act, could you please provide me with the following information for the United Kingdom Hydrographic Office (UKHO).

Could you please provide me with:

- 1- the bonus criteria for the Chief Executive for this year and over the last 5 years.*
- 2 - the bonus criteria for each Senior Civil Servant post at the UKHO, for this year and over the last 5 years.*
- 3 - a copy of any review or audit conducted by the UK Gov on the UKHO’s governance, over the last 5 years.”*

I am treating your correspondence as a request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA).

A search for the information has now been completed within the UKHO, and I can confirm that some information in scope of your request is held.

The information you have requested can be found below, at annex A.

Information prior to April 2016 is not currently held due to a change in IT systems, however if more information is required, please contact me in the first instance.

If you are not satisfied with this response or you wish to complain about any aspect of the handling of your request, then you should contact me in the first instance. If informal resolution is not possible and you are still dissatisfied then you may apply for an independent internal review by contacting the Information Rights Compliance team, Ground Floor, MOD Main Building, Whitehall, SW1A 2HB (e-mail CIO-FOI-IR@mod.uk). Please note that any request for an internal review must be made within 40 working days of the date on which the attempt to reach informal resolution has come to an end.

If you remain dissatisfied following an internal review, you may take your complaint to the Information Commissioner under the provisions of Section 50 of the Freedom of Information Act. Please note that the Information Commissioner will not investigate your case until the MOD internal

review process has been completed. Further details of the role and powers of the Information Commissioner can be found on the Commissioner's website, <http://www.ico.org.uk>.

Yours sincerely,

UKHO Secretariat

Annex A:

- 1- The bonus criteria for the Chief Executive for this year and over the last 5 years.
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Please see attached:

- Item 1_ SCS 2020 pay comms
- Item 1b_ SCS 2019 pay comms
- Item 2_ SCS Pay and Promotion Guidance
- Item 2b_ SCS Pay 2018 Communication

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Please visit: <https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/review-body-on-senior-salaries>