

## Latest quarterly (1, 3, 5, 7, 8) and in-year (2, 4, 6) tables

### Revisions

These statistics have been revised on 28 April 2021 to correct some incorrect figures identified and to incorporate revisions already made to the csv data file but were not reflected in these tables.

121 Figures have been amended across 7 tables. Full details of the changes can be found in the "Full revisions" tab (the right most tab in this file).

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### Symbols and conventions

-	Not applicable
0	Nil
#	Figures supplied by these departments of state count non-routine information requests received by one or more of their agencies, as well as those received by the departments themselves. The bulletin of Bulletin gives full details
*	Percentage not supplied because the number of qualifying requests is 20 or fewer (only applicable to pre 2014 publications).

**TABLE 1****Number of non-routine information requests received from 1 January - 31 March 2017, and their status at time of monitoring<sup>1</sup>**

<b>Government body</b>	<b>Total requests received</b>	<b>Request status at time of monitoring<sup>1</sup></b>			
		Processed	"On hold" or lapsed <sup>2</sup>	Still being processed	Number handled under EIRs <sup>3</sup>
<b>TOTAL for all monitored bodies</b>	<b>12,289</b>	<b>11,688</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>570</b>	<b>387</b>
<b>TOTAL for Departments of State only</b>	<b>8,341</b>	<b>7,901</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>440</b>	<b>181</b>
<b>TOTAL for other monitored bodies</b>	<b>3,948</b>	<b>3,787</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>206</b>
<b><i>Departments of State</i></b>					
Attorney General's Office	43	43	0	0	0
Cabinet Office#	391	385	0	6	0
Communities and Local Government	217	181	0	36	56
Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy#	226	215	0	11	51
Department for Culture, Media and Sport	119	117	0	2	0
Department for Education#	598	589	0	9	2
Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs	166	158	0	8	42
Department for Exiting the European Union	183	180	0	3	0
Department for International Development	122	115	0	7	0
Department for International Trade	99	96	0	3	0
Department for Transport#	781	768	0	13	13
Department for Work and Pensions	1,326	1,304	0	22	0
Department of Health	283	280	0	3	0
Foreign and Commonwealth Office#	323	296	0	27	2
HM Treasury#	259	250	0	9	10
Home Office	867	748	0	119	0
Ministry of Defence#	1,144	1,072	0	72	2
Ministry of Justice#	1,056	966	0	90	3
Northern Ireland Office	40	40	0	0	0
Scotland Office	56	56	0	0	0
UK Export Finance	19	19	0	0	0
Wales Office	23	23	0	0	0

**TABLE 1 continued**

**Number of non-routine information requests received from 1 January - 31 March 2017, and their status at time of monitoring<sup>1</sup>**

<b>Government body</b>	<b>Total requests received</b>	<b>Request status at time of monitoring<sup>1</sup></b>			
		Processed	"On hold" or lapsed <sup>2</sup>	Still being processed	Number handled under EIRs <sup>3</sup>
<b><i>Other bodies included in monitoring</i></b>					
Charity Commission	<b>176</b>	173	0	3	0
Competition and Markets Authority	<b>28</b>	28	0	0	0
Crown Prosecution Service	<b>182</b>	182	0	0	0
Debt Management Office	<b>18</b>	18	0	0	0
Food Standards Agency	<b>40</b>	40	0	0	0
Government Legal Department	<b>120</b>	120	0	0	0
Health and Safety Executive	<b>1,260</b>	1,229	1	30	58
HM Land Registry	<b>107</b>	107	0	0	0
HM Revenue and Customs	<b>569</b>	537	0	32	3
National Archives	<b>782</b>	696	30	56	0
National Savings and Investments	<b>24</b>	24	0	0	0
Office for National Statistics	<b>101</b>	100	0	1	0
Office for Standards in Education, Children's Services and Skills	<b>149</b>	144	0	5	0
Office of Gas and Electricity Markets	<b>190</b>	189	0	1	63
Office of Rail and Road	<b>47</b>	47	0	0	0
Rural Payments Agency	<b>95</b>	95	0	0	81
Serious Fraud Office	<b>43</b>	41	0	2	0
Water Services Regulation Authority	<b>17</b>	17	0	0	1

**Notes**

# - Figures supplied by these departments of state count non-routine information requests received by one or more of their agencies, as well as those received by the departments themselves. The bulletin gives full details.

1 - Monitoring returns were submitted to the Cabinet Office (CO) during May 2017

2 - Requests "on hold" are those where a fee has been charged but no payment has been received at the time of monitoring. These requests are effectively suspended since public authorities are not obliged to respond until payment has been made. Where a fee is charged and the deadline for payment expires, the request is deemed to have "lapsed" as no further action is required from the public authority.

3 - The amended Environmental Information Regulations 2004 (EIRs) came into force on 1 January 2005 to coincide with the FOI Act.

**TABLE 2**  
**Number of non-routine information requests received by monitored bodies, by quarter, since 1 Jan 2014**

Government body	2014				2015				2016				2017
	Q1: Jan-Mar	Q2: Apr-Jun	Q3: Jul-Sep	Q4: Oct-Dec	Q1: Jan-Mar	Q2: Apr-Jun	Q3: Jul-Sep	Q4: Oct-Dec	Q1: Jan-Mar	Q2: Apr-Jun	Q3: Jul-Sep	Q4: Oct-Dec	Q1: Jan-Mar
<b>TOTAL for all monitored bodies</b>	<b>13,664</b>	<b>11,689</b>	<b>11,234</b>	<b>10,749</b>	<b>12,884</b>	<b>11,499</b>	<b>11,971</b>	<b>11,039</b>	<b>12,795</b>	<b>11,031</b>	<b>10,561</b>	<b>10,892</b>	<b>12,289</b>
<b>TOTAL for Departments of State only</b>	<b>9,178</b>	<b>7,811</b>	<b>7,406</b>	<b>6,973</b>	<b>8,715</b>	<b>7,692</b>	<b>8,138</b>	<b>7,211</b>	<b>8,725</b>	<b>7,350</b>	<b>6,967</b>	<b>7,496</b>	<b>8,341</b>
<b>TOTAL for other monitored bodies</b>	<b>4,486</b>	<b>3,878</b>	<b>3,828</b>	<b>3,776</b>	<b>4,169</b>	<b>3,807</b>	<b>3,833</b>	<b>3,828</b>	<b>4,070</b>	<b>3,681</b>	<b>3,594</b>	<b>3,396</b>	<b>3,948</b>
<b>Departments of State</b>													
Attorney General's Office	57	41	53	45	62	69	49	41	59	57	57	61	43
Cabinet Office#	528	473	346	313	439	404	478	423	473	424	375	377	391
Communities and Local Government	197	171	210	202	302	209	210	212	283	200	192	173	217
Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy#	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	195	282	226
Department for Business, Innovation and Skills	301	230	251	221	280	217	220	229	270	224	24	-	-
Department for Culture, Media and Sport	137	152	109	125	157	146	137	113	164	143	124	122	119
Department for Education#	518	443	370	414	554	510	484	461	552	476	489	506	598
Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs	318	214	196	189	275	174	183	153	224	126	158	173	166
Department for Exiting the European Union	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	54	118	183
Department for International Development	134	111	85	96	143	115	148	93	103	84	111	105	122
Department for International Trade	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42	100	99
Department for Transport#	684	673	602	694	828	524	621	605	677	517	515	587	781
Department for Work and Pensions	1,408	1,065	1,104	1,082	1,248	1,271	1,322	988	1,181	901	1,093	1,101	1,326
Department of Energy and Climate Change#	240	153	141	158	189	155	183	165	185	170	20	-	-
Department of Health	469	490	451	293	443	407	383	389	470	382	274	337	283
Foreign and Commonwealth Office#	369	275	271	235	334	323	324	281	370	270	278	272	323
HM Treasury#	467	449	325	285	275	248	285	258	281	202	172	212	259
Home Office	872	741	736	692	906	798	899	772	905	882	836	865	867
Ministry of Defence#	1,022	856	781	831	1,049	920	973	909	1,226	1,085	961	975	1,144
Ministry of Justice#	1,308	1,133	1,234	992	1,036	979	1,086	988	1,149	1,105	876	976	1,056
Northern Ireland Office	60	58	40	33	65	61	58	49	50	30	34	56	40
Scotland Office	38	39	37	33	61	76	37	35	44	30	36	40	56
UK Export Finance	16	21	31	16	18	32	17	20	21	20	25	25	19
Wales Office	35	23	33	24	51	54	41	27	38	22	26	33	23

**TABLE 2 continued**  
**Number of non-routine information requests received by monitored bodies, by quarter, since 1 Jan 2014**

Government body	2014				2015				2016				2017
	Q1:	Q2:	Q3:	Q4:	Q1:	Q2:	Q3:	Q4:	Q1:	Q2:	Q3:	Q4:	Q1:
	Jan-Mar	Apr-Jun	Jul-Sep	Oct-Dec	Jan-Mar	Apr-Jun	Jul-Sep	Oct-Dec	Jan-Mar	Apr-Jun	Jul-Sep	Oct-Dec	Jan-Mar
<b>Other bodies included in monitoring</b>													
Charity Commission	167	156	126	162	161	162	163	151	175	161	166	133	176
Competition and Markets Authority	-	20	32	40	50	34	38	28	40	25	30	21	28
Crown Prosecution Service	220	182	173	165	173	181	166	192	195	178	192	207	182
Debt Management Office	14	15	17	9	18	23	20	22	17	13	12	17	18
Food Standards Agency	53	41	38	41	54	38	34	36	40	30	35	53	40
Government Legal Department	110	94	99	66	108	147	113	103	129	103	105	89	120
Health and Safety Executive	1,378	1,246	1,243	1,236	1,338	1,200	1,215	1,189	1,272	1,136	1,167	1,082	1,260
HM Land Registry	100	96	87	104	83	111	112	94	125	97	133	85	107
HM Revenue and Customs	622	565	515	592	545	474	596	575	565	526	459	457	569
National Archives	909	830	783	716	825	736	713	819	834	742	713	633	782
National Savings and Investments	38	32	41	23	36	37	8	24	18	17	24	17	24
Office for National Statistics	82	65	71	75	106	86	85	78	99	96	84	99	101
Office for Standards in Education, Children's Services and Skills	309	184	159	176	216	255	191	138	174	148	116	127	149
Office of Fair Trading	69	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Office of Gas and Electricity Markets	97	90	115	106	126	103	102	100	145	146	121	148	190
Office of Rail and Road	46	37	41	33	52	39	40	29	37	30	42	42	47
Ordnance Survey	13	11	25	15	28	24	22	39	27	24	19	19	-
Royal Mint	15	8	6	4	5	8	5	14	13	7	9	11	-
Rural Payments Agency	137	126	141	116	174	91	107	133	92	109	107	79	95
Serious Fraud Office	22	25	28	17	35	26	29	34	33	46	30	47	43
Water Services Regulation Authority	85	55	88	80	36	32	74	30	40	47	30	30	17

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**TABLE 3****Timeliness of response to non-routine information requests received by monitored bodies from 1 Jan - 31 March 2017**

<b>Government body</b>	<b>Total requests received (excluding on-hold and lapsed<sup>1</sup>)</b>	<b>Timeliness of response</b>			<b>Percentage meeting deadline</b>	<b>Percentage meeting deadline or with permitted extension<sup>2</sup></b>
		20-day deadline met	Permitted extension <sup>2</sup> to deadline	Late response (i.e. deadline missed)		
<b>TOTAL for all monitored bodies</b>	<b>12,258</b>	<b>10,699</b>	<b>626</b>	<b>933</b>	<b>87%</b>	<b>92%</b>
<b>TOTAL for Departments of State only</b>	<b>8,341</b>	<b>7,150</b>	<b>430</b>	<b>761</b>	<b>86%</b>	<b>91%</b>
<b>TOTAL for other monitored bodies</b>	<b>3,917</b>	<b>3,549</b>	<b>196</b>	<b>172</b>	<b>91%</b>	<b>96%</b>
<b>Departments of State</b>						
Attorney General's Office	43	43	0	0	100%	100%
Cabinet Office#	391	345	30	16	88%	96%
Communities and Local Government	217	101	23	93	47%	57%
Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy#	226	162	15	49	72%	78%
Department for Culture, Media and Sport	119	103	8	8	87%	93%
Department for Education#	598	514	11	73	86%	88%
Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs	166	139	13	14	84%	92%
Department for Exiting the European Union	183	175	4	4	96%	98%
Department for International Development	122	106	14	2	87%	98%
Department for International Trade	99	70	8	21	71%	79%
Department for Transport#	781	727	37	17	93%	98%
Department for Work and Pensions	1,326	1,243	14	69	94%	95%
Department of Health	283	275	8	0	97%	100%
Foreign and Commonwealth Office#	323	249	57	17	77%	95%
HM Treasury#	259	237	11	11	92%	96%
Home Office	867	635	122	110	73%	87%
Ministry of Defence#	1,144	999	45	100	87%	91%
Ministry of Justice#	1,056	898	4	154	85%	85%
Northern Ireland Office	40	35	5	0	88%	100%
Scotland Office	56	54	1	1	96%	98%
UK Export Finance	19	18	0	1	95%	95%
Wales Office	23	22	0	1	96%	96%

**TABLE 3 continued**

**Timeliness of response to non-routine information requests received by monitored bodies from 1 Jan - 31 March 2017**

Government body	Total requests received (excluding on-hold and lapsed <sup>1</sup> )	Timeliness of response			Percentage meeting deadline	Percentage meeting deadline or with permitted extension <sup>2</sup>
		20-day deadline met	Permitted extension <sup>2</sup> to deadline	Late response (i.e. deadline missed)		
<b>Other bodies included in monitoring</b>						
Charity Commission	176	166	0	10	94%	94%
Competition and Markets Authority	28	28	0	0	100%	100%
Crown Prosecution Service	182	175	1	6	96%	97%
Debt Management Office	18	18	0	0	100%	100%
Food Standards Agency	40	36	4	0	90%	100%
Government Legal Department	120	118	0	2	98%	98%
Health and Safety Executive	1,259	1,198	13	48	95%	96%
HM Land Registry	107	104	2	1	97%	99%
HM Revenue and Customs	569	515	0	54	91%	91%
National Archives <sup>^</sup>	752	587	139	26	78%	97%
National Savings and Investments	24	20	0	4	83%	83%
Office for National Statistics	101	97	0	4	96%	96%
Office for Standards in Education, Children's Services and Skills	149	143	4	2	96%	99%
Office of Gas and Electricity Markets	190	160	21	9	84%	95%
Office of Rail and Road	47	39	6	2	83%	96%
Rural Payments Agency	95	92	0	3	97%	97%
Serious Fraud Office	43	36	6	1	84%	98%
Water Services Regulation Authority	17	17	0	0	100%	100%

**Notes**

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<sup>^</sup> - Although the standard statutory deadline for responding to an information request is 20 working days, a 30-day deadline applies where requests relate wholly or partly to archived information. The National Archives' timeliness figures are therefore reported on this basis.

1 - Requests "on hold" or "lapsed" are those where a fee has been charged but no payment has been received. These requests are effectively suspended since public authorities are not obliged to respond until payment has been made. They are therefore excluded from the calculation of timeliness measures.

2 - "Permitted extensions" include:

Requests where the 20-day deadline for response under the Freedom of Information Act is extended to allow for consideration of the balance of the public interest.

Requests where the 20-day deadline for response under the Environmental Information Regulations is extended because of the complexity or volume of the request.

**TABLE 4**  
**Percentage of non-routine information requests received since 1 Jan 2014 that were answered 'in time', by quarter<sup>1</sup>**

Government body	2014				2015				2016				2017
	Q1: Jan–Mar	Q2: Apr–Jun	Q3: Jul–Sep	Q4: Oct–Dec	Q1: Jan–Mar	Q2: Apr–Jun	Q3: Jul–Sep	Q4: Oct–Dec	Q1: Jan–Mar	Q2: Apr–Jun	Q3: Jul–Sep	Q4: Oct–Dec	Q1: Jan–Mar
<b>TOTAL for all monitored bodies</b>	<b>92%</b>	<b>91%</b>	<b>92%</b>	<b>90%</b>	<b>90%</b>	<b>90%</b>	<b>89%</b>	<b>89%</b>	<b>92%</b>	<b>91%</b>	<b>89%</b>	<b>89%</b>	<b>92%</b>
<b>TOTAL for Departments of State only</b>	<b>91%</b>	<b>90%</b>	<b>90%</b>	<b>87%</b>	<b>89%</b>	<b>89%</b>	<b>87%</b>	<b>86%</b>	<b>91%</b>	<b>89%</b>	<b>86%</b>	<b>87%</b>	<b>91%</b>
<b>TOTAL for other monitored bodies</b>	<b>94%</b>	<b>93%</b>	<b>95%</b>	<b>94%</b>	<b>92%</b>	<b>93%</b>	<b>94%</b>	<b>94%</b>	<b>93%</b>	<b>93%</b>	<b>95%</b>	<b>95%</b>	<b>96%</b>
<b>Departments of State</b>													
Attorney General's Office	98%	90%	100%	100%	100%	100%	96%	98%	97%	93%	98%	100%	100%
Cabinet Office#	95%	90%	94%	88%	94%	90%	91%	85%	93%	91%	94%	97%	96%
Communities and Local Government	80%	82%	72%	73%	94%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	57%	44%	57%
Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy#	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	75%	76%	78%
Department for Business, Innovation and Skills	98%	97%	96%	96%	99%	87%	87%	87%	81%	65%	54%	-	-
Department for Culture, Media and Sport	98%	96%	96%	93%	71%	84%	92%	100%	94%	89%	98%	96%	93%
Department for Education#	87%	91%	91%	92%	86%	83%	91%	85%	86%	88%	86%	83%	88%
Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs	99%	92%	62%	58%	79%	83%	74%	80%	87%	92%	94%	94%	92%
Department for Exiting the European Union	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	72%	97%	98%
Department for International Development	98%	98%	99%	98%	100%	99%	99%	99%	98%	98%	100%	98%	98%
Department for International Trade	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	86%	85%	79%
Department for Transport#	95%	96%	97%	96%	96%	98%	98%	96%	97%	96%	97%	95%	98%
Department for Work and Pensions	92%	91%	90%	91%	94%	93%	84%	83%	91%	78%	78%	88%	95%
Department of Energy and Climate Change#	98%	92%	93%	94%	93%	93%	92%	92%	92%	85%	65%	-	-
Department of Health	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Foreign and Commonwealth Office#	88%	93%	90%	90%	88%	90%	89%	87%	94%	92%	87%	94%	95%
HM Treasury#	93%	96%	89%	93%	92%	96%	93%	90%	92%	87%	95%	96%	96%
Home Office	87%	84%	87%	90%	86%	87%	84%	81%	87%	86%	81%	86%	87%
Ministry of Defence#	85%	87%	88%	84%	87%	91%	91%	91%	93%	93%	93%	89%	91%
Ministry of Justice#	89%	83%	90%	73%	76%	70%	65%	73%	85%	93%	79%	71%	85%
Northern Ireland Office	88%	88%	95%	91%	89%	85%	98%	98%	90%	93%	100%	98%	100%
Scotland Office	92%	95%	92%	94%	90%	86%	84%	74%	61%	77%	83%	98%	98%
UK Export Finance	100%	90%	90%	88%	100%	84%	88%	90%	100%	95%	92%	96%	95%
Wales Office	97%	100%	100%	100%	94%	100%	100%	96%	97%	95%	100%	100%	96%



**TABLE 4 continued**  
**Percentage of non-routine information requests received since 1 Jan 2014 that were answered 'in time', by quarter<sup>1</sup>**

Government body	2014				2015				2016				2017
	Q1: Jan-Mar	Q2: Apr-Jun	Q3: Jul-Sep	Q4: Oct-Dec	Q1: Jan-Mar	Q2: Apr-Jun	Q3: Jul-Sep	Q4: Oct-Dec	Q1: Jan-Mar	Q2: Apr-Jun	Q3: Jul-Sep	Q4: Oct-Dec	Q1: Jan-Mar
<b>Other bodies included in monitoring</b>													
Charity Commission	98%	95%	93%	90%	92%	94%	94%	93%	93%	86%	92%	86%	94%
Competition and Markets Authority	-	100%	97%	98%	96%	91%	89%	100%	93%	96%	100%	100%	100%
Crown Prosecution Service	95%	97%	94%	96%	91%	94%	96%	94%	92%	87%	91%	95%	97%
Debt Management Office	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Food Standards Agency	98%	98%	100%	100%	96%	97%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Government Legal Department	99%	99%	98%	100%	95%	97%	100%	99%	98%	99%	100%	100%	98%
Health and Safety Executive	91%	92%	95%	94%	93%	95%	95%	96%	96%	97%	95%	96%	96%
HM Land Registry	100%	98%	100%	99%	100%	99%	99%	94%	98%	96%	100%	100%	99%
HM Revenue and Customs	88%	86%	90%	87%	80%	83%	91%	91%	85%	89%	86%	89%	91%
National Archives <sup>A</sup>	97%	97%	98%	98%	98%	95%	96%	96%	93%	90%	98%	97%	97%
National Savings and Investments	95%	97%	100%	100%	94%	100%	63%	46%	44%	88%	96%	94%	83%
Office for National Statistics	100%	100%	99%	95%	96%	97%	79%	88%	93%	95%	95%	98%	96%
Office for Standards in Education, Children's Services and Skills	97%	99%	99%	97%	95%	97%	93%	100%	98%	99%	100%	98%	99%
Office of Fair Trading	97%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Office of Gas and Electricity Markets	88%	91%	90%	95%	83%	75%	91%	100%	99%	98%	100%	98%	95%
Office of Rail and Road	98%	92%	95%	100%	96%	97%	88%	97%	97%	97%	93%	95%	96%
Ordnance Survey	100%	100%	96%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	-
Royal Mint	93%	100%	67%	100%	80%	88%	100%	43%	77%	43%	100%	100%	-
Rural Payments Agency	100%	100%	94%	99%	95%	93%	91%	90%	97%	93%	98%	94%	97%
Serious Fraud Office	68%	72%	93%	76%	89%	92%	97%	97%	91%	93%	93%	100%	98%
Water Services Regulation Authority	99%	100%	99%	96%	94%	100%	72%	73%	98%	100%	100%	97%	100%

**Notes**

# - Figures supplied by these departments count requests received by one or more of their agencies, and those received by the departments themselves. The bulletin gives full details.

<sup>A</sup> - Although the standard statutory deadline for responding to an information request is 20 working days, a 30-day deadline applies where requests relate wholly or partly to archived information. The National Archives' timeliness figures are therefore reported on this basis.

1 - A request is "in time" if it was answered within the statutory response deadline, or within a permitted extension to this deadline, which include:

Requests where the 20-day deadline for response under the Freedom of Information Act is extended to allow for consideration of the balance of the public interest.

Requests where the 20-day deadline for response under the Environmental Information Regulations is extended because of the complexity or volume of the request.

**TABLE 5**  
**Initial outcomes of non-routine information requests received by monitored bodies from 1 January - 31 March 2017**

Government body	Total requests received (excluding on-hold and lapsed <sup>1</sup> )	Requests where advice and assistance <sup>2</sup> provided	Requests where information not held	Total "resolvable" requests <sup>3</sup>	Initial outcome of request				Percentage of resolvable requests granted in full	Percentage of resolvable requests withheld in full
					Granted in full	Partially withheld	Fully withheld <sup>4</sup>	Response not yet provided <sup>5</sup>		
<b>TOTAL for all monitored bodies</b>	<b>12,258</b>	<b>919</b>	<b>2,420</b>	<b>8,919</b>	<b>3,997</b>	<b>1,168</b>	<b>3,184</b>	<b>570</b>	<b>45%</b>	<b>36%</b>
<b>TOTAL for Departments of State only</b>	<b>8,341</b>	<b>706</b>	<b>1,601</b>	<b>6,034</b>	<b>2,689</b>	<b>669</b>	<b>2,236</b>	<b>440</b>	<b>45%</b>	<b>37%</b>
<b>TOTAL for other monitored bodies</b>	<b>3,917</b>	<b>213</b>	<b>819</b>	<b>2,885</b>	<b>1,308</b>	<b>499</b>	<b>948</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>45%</b>	<b>33%</b>
<b>Departments of State</b>										
Attorney General's Office	43	1	20	22	11	6	5	0	50%	23%
Cabinet Office#	391	24	175	192	52	26	108	6	27%	56%
Communities and Local Government	217	8	49	160	60	21	43	36	38%	27%
Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy#	226	12	50	164	44	29	80	11	27%	49%
Department for Culture, Media and Sport	119	9	45	65	24	12	27	2	37%	42%
Department for Education#	598	82	118	398	276	39	74	9	69%	19%
Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs	166	31	35	100	35	31	26	8	35%	26%
Department for Exiting the European Union	183	2	43	138	14	19	102	3	10%	74%
Department for International Development	122	8	7	107	47	9	44	7	44%	41%
Department for International Trade	99	1	27	71	13	26	29	3	18%	41%
Department for Transport#	781	0	160	621	389	53	166	13	63%	27%
Department for Work and Pensions	1,326	183	56	1,087	628	54	383	22	58%	35%
Department of Health	283	10	113	160	59	38	60	3	37%	38%
Foreign and Commonwealth Office#	323	12	71	240	61	56	96	27	25%	40%
HM Treasury#	259	32	78	149	45	20	75	9	30%	50%
Home Office	867	98	177	592	175	54	244	119	30%	41%
Ministry of Defence#	1,144	112	198	834	469	108	185	72	56%	22%
Ministry of Justice#	1,056	78	154	824	211	56	467	90	26%	57%
Northern Ireland Office	40	0	3	37	22	1	14	0	59%	38%
Scotland Office	56	0	15	41	32	3	6	0	78%	15%
UK Export Finance	19	1	1	17	8	8	1	0	47%	6%
Wales Office	23	2	6	15	14	0	1	0	93%	7%

**TABLE 5 continued**

**Initial outcomes of non-routine information requests received by monitored bodies from 1 January - 31 March 2017**

Government body	Total requests received (excluding on-hold and lapsed <sup>1</sup> )	Requests where advice and assistance <sup>2</sup> provided	Requests where information not held	Total "resolvable" requests <sup>3</sup>	Initial outcome of request				Percentage of resolvable requests granted in full	Percentage of resolvable requests withheld in full
					Granted in full	Partially withheld	Fully withheld <sup>4</sup>	Response not yet provided <sup>5</sup>		
<b>Other bodies included in monitoring</b>										
Charity Commission	176	8	32	136	58	39	36	3	43%	26%
Competition and Markets Authority	28	0	4	24	7	6	11	0	29%	46%
Crown Prosecution Service	182	5	22	155	78	10	67	0	50%	43%
Debt Management Office	18	0	3	15	8	5	2	0	53%	13%
Food Standards Agency	40	2	5	33	18	12	3	0	55%	9%
Government Legal Department	120	0	23	97	32	16	49	0	33%	51%
Health and Safety Executive	1,259	5	453	801	357	204	210	30	45%	26%
HM Land Registry	107	7	11	89	65	14	10	0	73%	11%
HM Revenue and Customs	569	45	77	447	135	34	246	32	30%	55%
National Archives	752	48	71	633	320	76	181	56	51%	29%
National Savings and Investments	24	1	3	20	17	0	3	0	85%	15%
Office for National Statistics	101	0	44	57	41	7	8	1	72%	14%
Office for Standards in Education, Children's Services and Skills	149	22	22	105	14	26	60	5	13%	57%
Office of Gas and Electricity Markets	190	25	20	145	100	17	27	1	69%	19%
Office of Rail and Road	47	5	6	36	14	17	5	0	39%	14%
Rural Payments Agency	95	37	13	45	24	3	18	0	53%	40%
Serious Fraud Office	43	3	5	35	10	11	12	2	29%	34%
Water Services Regulation Authority	17	0	5	12	10	2	0	0	83%	0%

**Notes**

# - Figures supplied by these departments of state count non-routine information requests received by one or more of their agencies, as well those received by the departments themselves. The bulletin gives full details.

1 - Requests "on hold" or "lapsed" are those where a fee has been charged but no payment has been received. These requests are effectively suspended since public authorities are not obliged to respond until payment has been made.

2 - "Advice and assistance" would be provided to a requester when the body "reasonably requires further information in order to identify and locate the information requested". See section 1(3) of the Freedom of Information Act for further details.

3 - "Resolvable requests" are all those where it is possible to make a substantive decision on whether to release the requested information. They exclude requests which are lapsed or "on-hold", where the information was not held, and where it was necessary to provide advice and assistance (see note above) since in each of these cases it would not have been possible to resolve the request in the form it was asked.

4 - "Fully withheld" requests include those which were refused because it was estimated that the cost of complying with the request would exceed the appropriate limit.

5 - This table counts as "resolvable" all requests where a response has not yet been provided. This assumption is likely to be generally true but may be incorrect in a small number of cases.

It should also be noted that requests where a response has not yet been provided are more likely to involve considerations which are complex and finely balanced. As a result, it cannot be assumed that these requests will be granted and refused in the same proportions as "resolvable" requests in general.

**TABLE 6**  
**Percentage of resolvable non-routine information requests received that were granted in full, by quarter, since 1 Jan 2014<sup>1</sup>**

Government body	2014				2015				2016				2017
	Q1: Jan-Mar	Q2: Apr-Jun	Q3: Jul-Sep	Q4: Oct-Dec	Q1: Jan-Mar	Q2: Apr-Jun	Q3: Jul-Sep	Q4: Oct-Dec	Q1: Jan-Mar	Q2: Apr-Jun	Q3: Jul-Sep	Q4: Oct-Dec	Q1: Jan-Mar
<b>TOTAL for all monitored bodies</b>	<b>51%</b>	<b>50%</b>	<b>49%</b>	<b>47%</b>	<b>48%</b>	<b>46%</b>	<b>45%</b>	<b>45%</b>	<b>44%</b>	<b>44%</b>	<b>44%</b>	<b>44%</b>	<b>45%</b>
<b>TOTAL for Departments of State only</b>	<b>53%</b>	<b>51%</b>	<b>49%</b>	<b>49%</b>	<b>49%</b>	<b>48%</b>	<b>46%</b>	<b>46%</b>	<b>44%</b>	<b>45%</b>	<b>43%</b>	<b>44%</b>	<b>45%</b>
<b>TOTAL for other monitored bodies</b>	<b>46%</b>	<b>49%</b>	<b>47%</b>	<b>45%</b>	<b>46%</b>	<b>41%</b>	<b>44%</b>	<b>44%</b>	<b>44%</b>	<b>44%</b>	<b>46%</b>	<b>45%</b>	<b>45%</b>
<b>Departments of State</b>													
Attorney General's Office	73%	50%	29%	7%	21%	68%	31%	36%	39%	42%	66%	66%	50%
Cabinet Office#	21%	22%	29%	16%	24%	17%	21%	24%	15%	28%	25%	30%	27%
Communities and Local Government	65%	58%	53%	48%	56%	57%	47%	59%	40%	48%	27%	31%	38%
Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy#	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31%	26%	27%
Department for Business, Innovation and Skills	34%	31%	31%	29%	32%	32%	28%	22%	24%	24%	27%	-	-
Department for Culture, Media and Sport	58%	60%	71%	47%	51%	52%	55%	46%	34%	40%	57%	37%	37%
Department for Education#	53%	59%	68%	66%	64%	57%	59%	64%	64%	63%	60%	64%	69%
Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs	72%	68%	48%	34%	41%	46%	33%	39%	24%	31%	45%	25%	35%
Department for Exiting the European Union	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42%	18%	10%
Department for International Development	62%	60%	60%	56%	52%	49%	57%	50%	58%	52%	49%	57%	44%
Department for International Trade	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30%	26%	18%
Department for Transport#	76%	77%	77%	77%	77%	68%	69%	68%	63%	64%	61%	68%	63%
Department for Work and Pensions	69%	65%	65%	63%	64%	62%	58%	62%	61%	60%	53%	55%	58%
Department of Energy and Climate Change#	48%	44%	38%	24%	35%	36%	38%	34%	31%	18%	32%	-	-
Department of Health	58%	42%	19%	37%	53%	52%	56%	32%	43%	31%	37%	44%	37%
Foreign and Commonwealth Office#	26%	31%	27%	30%	27%	26%	22%	20%	15%	20%	24%	29%	25%
HM Treasury#	36%	54%	43%	42%	30%	24%	23%	28%	23%	31%	28%	28%	30%
Home Office	42%	37%	38%	38%	34%	35%	31%	34%	37%	33%	33%	28%	30%
Ministry of Defence#	62%	52%	52%	52%	50%	53%	55%	54%	52%	60%	58%	55%	56%
Ministry of Justice#	34%	36%	38%	34%	29%	32%	33%	32%	30%	32%	24%	25%	26%
Northern Ireland Office	43%	40%	56%	50%	74%	85%	58%	55%	59%	50%	45%	58%	59%
Scotland Office	76%	74%	88%	94%	82%	62%	55%	80%	76%	88%	67%	67%	78%
UK Export Finance	81%	50%	60%	38%	69%	62%	35%	89%	79%	67%	72%	47%	47%
Wales Office	81%	57%	50%	100%	86%	95%	83%	81%	81%	77%	73%	100%	93%

**TABLE 6 continued**  
**Percentage of resolvable non-routine information requests received that were granted in full, by quarter, since 1 Jan 2014<sup>1</sup>**

Government body	2014				2015				2016				2017
	Q1: Jan-Mar	Q2: Apr-Jun	Q3: Jul-Sep	Q4: Oct-Dec	Q1: Jan-Mar	Q2: Apr-Jun	Q3: Jul-Sep	Q4: Oct-Dec	Q1: Jan-Mar	Q2: Apr-Jun	Q3: Jul-Sep	Q4: Oct-Dec	Q1: Jan-Mar
<b>Other bodies included in monitoring</b>													
Charity Commission	48%	45%	47%	50%	39%	40%	40%	43%	40%	40%	40%	35%	43%
Competition and Markets Authority	-	19%	48%	48%	61%	50%	59%	57%	40%	47%	45%	53%	29%
Crown Prosecution Service	35%	36%	34%	38%	38%	29%	30%	29%	39%	46%	55%	49%	50%
Debt Management Office	78%	69%	50%	63%	44%	50%	45%	56%	33%	44%	80%	59%	53%
Food Standards Agency	49%	67%	68%	55%	57%	70%	53%	64%	46%	52%	54%	49%	55%
Government Legal Department	49%	50%	48%	41%	36%	27%	20%	15%	17%	26%	27%	19%	33%
Health and Safety Executive	44%	53%	52%	52%	47%	41%	45%	45%	47%	44%	50%	47%	45%
HM Land Registry	88%	67%	75%	91%	94%	85%	83%	88%	86%	76%	81%	86%	73%
HM Revenue and Customs	34%	27%	31%	18%	31%	32%	26%	25%	28%	27%	26%	32%	30%
National Archives	50%	59%	45%	51%	45%	44%	45%	52%	45%	44%	45%	47%	51%
National Savings and Investments	100%	83%	90%	75%	87%	61%	63%	42%	56%	85%	74%	79%	85%
Office for National Statistics	78%	84%	82%	83%	80%	79%	82%	86%	86%	89%	92%	82%	72%
Office for Standards in Education, Children's Services and Skills	19%	22%	30%	20%	27%	17%	33%	25%	23%	20%	22%	19%	13%
Office of Fair Trading	67%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Office of Gas and Electricity Markets	72%	59%	43%	49%	54%	51%	77%	62%	74%	79%	67%	64%	69%
Office of Rail and Road	41%	35%	48%	50%	57%	30%	41%	50%	39%	30%	38%	36%	39%
Ordnance Survey	67%	60%	78%	50%	81%	53%	33%	44%	50%	42%	50%	58%	-
Royal Mint	46%	14%	17%	75%	60%	29%	60%	100%	92%	71%	50%	64%	-
Rural Payments Agency	59%	68%	51%	46%	47%	70%	51%	45%	52%	49%	40%	42%	53%
Serious Fraud Office	37%	44%	36%	43%	70%	43%	50%	46%	46%	46%	44%	35%	29%
Water Services Regulation Authority	89%	68%	86%	48%	69%	69%	99%	64%	86%	63%	59%	57%	83%

**Notes**

# - Figures supplied by these departments count requests received by one or more of their agencies, as well those received by the departments themselves. The bulletin gives full details.

1 - "Resolvable requests" are all those where it would have been possible to provide a substantive response. They exclude requests which are lapsed or "on-hold", where the information was not held, and where it was necessary to provide advice and assistance to the requester, since in each of these cases it would not have been possible to resolve the request in the form it was asked.

**TABLE 7**  
**Exemptions and exceptions, applied by monitored bodies when withholding non-routine information requests received from 1 January - 31 March 2017**

Government body	Total requests where one or more exemptions / exceptions were applied <sup>1</sup>	Exemptions listed in Part 2 of the FoI Act <sup>2</sup>																						
		S.22 - Information intended for future publication	S. 22A - Research intended for future publication	S.23 - Information supplied by, or relating to, bodies dealing with security matters	S.24 - National security	S.26 - Defence	S.27 - International relations	S.28 - Relations within the United Kingdom	S.29 - The economy	S.30 - Investigations and proceedings conducted by public authorities	S.31 - Law enforcement	S.32 - Court records, etc.	S.33 - Audit functions	S.34 - Parliamentary privilege	S.35 - Formulation of Government policy, etc.	S.36 - Prejudice to effective conduct of public affairs	S.37 - Communications with Her Majesty, etc. and honours	S.38 - Health and Safety	S.40 - Personal information	S.41 - Information provided in confidence	S.42 - Legal professional privilege	S.43 - Commercial interests	S.44 - Prohibitions on disclosure	All EIR exemptions
<b>TOTAL for all monitored bodies</b>	<b>2,908</b>	<b>282</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>375</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>143</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>1,360</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>224</b>	<b>208</b>	<b>172</b>
<b>TOTAL for Departments of State only</b>	<b>1,673</b>	<b>249</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>227</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>729</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>189</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>102</b>
<b>TOTAL for other monitored bodies</b>	<b>1,235</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>148</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>631</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>70</b>
<b>Departments of State</b>																								
Attorney General's Office	11	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0
Cabinet Office#	80	13	0	6	15	1	10	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	13	1	14	1	16	6	2	15	0	0
Communities and Local Government	56	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	13	0	0	4	0	37
Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy#	61	4	0	0	3	0	2	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	14	3	1	13	1	26
Department for Culture, Media and Sport	24	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	11	0	0	0	7	5	1	2	0	0
Department for Education#	87	21	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	24	0	0	0	8	12	0	0	26	4	0	7	0	0
Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs	57	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	6	0	0	0	4	1	0	6	13	0	1	8	0	23
Department for Exiting the European Union	61	37	0	0	0	0	4	1	2	0	2	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	8	0	2	2	0	0
Department for International Development	14	2	0	1	0	0	5	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	8	0	0	7	0	0
Department for International Trade	36	9	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	4	2	0	0	4	6	0	16	0	0
Department for Transport#	151	20	0	0	8	0	2	1	0	1	22	0	0	0	10	6	0	1	69	20	4	25	6	7
Department for Work and Pensions	267	9	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	7	1	1	0	6	3	0	0	226	5	2	15	5	0
Department of Health	57	7	0	0	5	0	1	0	0	0	6	0	1	0	11	0	0	0	28	1	2	3	0	0
Foreign and Commonwealth Office#	100	5	0	15	13	0	34	0	1	0	8	0	0	0	5	0	2	9	56	7	0	5	0	2
HM Treasury#	48	7	0	0	2	2	2	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	16	5	0	0	19	0	0	5	0	7
Home Office	160	31	0	6	24	0	8	0	0	0	56	1	0	0	17	20	1	5	31	3	4	15	2	0
Ministry of Defence#	148	11	0	12	16	30	21	1	2	5	11	0	0	0	3	4	0	5	68	1	2	22	1	0
Ministry of Justice#	225	66	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	29	77	0	0	3	0	1	1	114	2	2	20	42	0
Northern Ireland Office	14	2	0	1	9	0	1	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Scotland Office	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	1	0	0
UK Export Finance	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	2	0	0
Wales Office	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0

TABLE A7 continued

Exemptions and exceptions, applied by monitored bodies when withholding non-routine information requests received from 1 January - 31 March 2017

Government body	Total requests where one or more exemptions / exceptions were applied <sup>1</sup>	Exemptions listed in Part 2 of the FoI Act <sup>2</sup>																						
		S.22 - Information intended for future publication	S. 22A - Research intended for future publication	S.23 - Information supplied by, or relating to, bodies designated with non-routine information	S.24 - National security	S.26 - Defence	S.27 - International relations	S.28 - Relations within the United Kingdom	S.29 - The economy	S.30 - Investigations and proceedings conducted by public authorities	S.31 - Law enforcement	S.32 - Court records, etc.	S.33 - Audit functions	S.34 - Parliamentary privilege	S.35 - Formulation of Government policy, etc.	S.36 - Prejudice to effective conduct of public business	S.37 - Communications with Her Majesty, etc. and honours	S.38 - Health and Safety	S.40 - Personal information	S.41 - Information provided in confidence	S.42 - Legal professional privilege	S.43 - Commercial interests	S.44 - Prohibitions on disclosure	All EIR exemptions
<b>Other bodies included in monitoring</b>																								
Charity Commission	69	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	28	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	44	18	5	0	0	0
Competition and Markets Authority	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	3	1	8	0
Crown Prosecution Service	35	8	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	7	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	27	0	2	2	0	0
Debt Management Office	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	2	0	0	
Food Standards Agency	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	8	1	0	2	1	0
Government Legal Department	65	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21	1	0	0	0	0	0	35	0	1	2	0	0	
Health and Safety Executive	399	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	142	21	3	0	0	0	0	0	199	28	0	6	0	40	
HM Land Registry	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	1	2	0	10	1	1	0	0	0	
HM Revenue and Customs	170	9	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	0	0	6	1	0	9	0	0	11	126	3	
National Archives	255	0	0	13	0	0	9	0	0	0	9	1	0	0	0	1	10	62	218	10	0	4	0	0
National Savings and Investments	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Office for National Statistics	14	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	6	0	0	0	4	0	
Office for Standards in Education, Children's Services and Skills	81	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	27	0	26	0	0	0	0	39	7	0	2	0	0	
Office of Gas and Electricity Markets	30	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	2	10	10	
Office of Rail and Road	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	19	4	0	0	2	0	
Rural Payments Agency	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	17	
Serious Fraud Office	19	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	8	9	0	0	0	0	1	0	4	0	1	1	0	0	
Water Services Regulation Authority	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	

Notes

# - Figures supplied by these departments of state count non-routine information requests received by one or more of their agencies, as well as those received by the departments themselves. The bulletin gives full details.

1 - A single request can be subject to more than one exemption. Therefore, the total number of individual exemptions used may be greater than the number of requests to which exemptions were applied.

2 - "Exemptions" refers to the provisions in Part 2 of the Freedom of Information Act (and the similar "exceptions" in Part 3 of the Environmental Information Regulations) which classify certain types of information as exempt from the release obligations. More than one exemption or exception can apply to a single information request.

The exemption described in section 21 of the Act ("Information accessible ... by other means") is not listed here, because requests falling under this exemption do not meet the formal definition of a "non-routine" request and therefore are not counted in these monitoring statistics.

The exemption listed at section 39 of the Freedom of Information Act ("Environmental Information") effectively states that information requests which fall within the scope of the Environmental Information Regulations (EIRs) should be handled as these Regulations specify. Requests for environmental information which are refused should apply one of the EIR exceptions listed above.

TABLE 8

Section 21 exemptions<sup>1</sup> applied by monitored bodies when dealing with routine information requests received from 1 January - 31 March 2017

Government body	Number of requests where a Section 21 exemption was applied <sup>2</sup>	Timeliness of response		Percentage of requests meeting 20-day deadline
		20-day deadline met	Late response (i.e. 20-day deadline missed)	
<b>TOTAL for all monitored bodies</b>	<b>543</b>	<b>503</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>93%</b>
<b>TOTAL for Departments of State only</b>	<b>419</b>	<b>384</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>92%</b>
<b>TOTAL for other monitored bodies</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>96%</b>
<b>Departments of State</b>				
Attorney General's Office	1	1	0	100%
Cabinet Office#	22	19	3	86%
Communities and Local Government	5	0	5	0%
Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy#	4	4	0	100%
Department for Culture, Media and Sport	6	6	0	100%
Department for Education#	57	53	4	93%
Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs	8	6	2	75%
Department for Exiting the European Union	0	0	0	-
Department for International Development	1	1	0	100%
Department for International Trade	5	5	0	100%
Department for Transport#	30	29	1	97%
Department for Work and Pensions	12	10	2	83%
Department of Health	27	27	0	100%
Foreign and Commonwealth Office#	6	5	1	83%
HM Treasury#	20	19	1	95%
Home Office	72	66	6	92%
Ministry of Defence#	46	45	1	98%
Ministry of Justice#	91	82	9	90%
Northern Ireland Office	1	1	0	100%
Scotland Office	1	1	0	100%
UK Export Finance	0	0	0	-
Wales Office	4	4	0	100%



**TABLE 8 continued**

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<b>Other bodies included in monitoring</b>				
Charity Commission	12	9	3	75%
Competition and Markets Authority	0	0	0	-
Crown Prosecution Service	4	4	0	100%
Debt Management Office	0	0	0	-
Food Standards Agency	0	0	0	-
Government Legal Department	24	24	0	100%
Health and Safety Executive	8	8	0	100%
HM Land Registry	12	12	0	100%
HM Revenue and Customs	39	37	2	95%
National Archives	1	1	0	100%
National Savings and Investments	0	0	0	-
Office for National Statistics	15	15	0	100%
Office for Standards in Education, Children's Services and Skills	3	3	0	100%
Office of Gas and Electricity Markets	0	0	0	-
Office of Rail and Road	2	2	0	100%
Rural Payments Agency	3	3	0	100%
Serious Fraud Office	1	1	0	100%
Water Services Regulation Authority	0	0	0	-

**Notes**

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1 - A section 21 exemption is defined as information available by other means. Section 21 is an absolute exemption, which means that no consideration of the public interest test is required to withhold information.

2 - These tables cover requests that were exempted either fully or in part under Section 21, where a Section 21 was the only exemption used

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