



UK Hydrographic Office

Admiralty Way
Taunton
Somerset
TA1 2DN

Telephone: [REDACTED]
E-mail: [REDACTED]
Website: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

04 January 2023

Dear [REDACTED]

Thank you for your email of 7th December requesting the following information:

“This is an information request relating to the number of staff working at the organisation.

Please include the information for each of the following financial years; 2019/20, 2020/21, 2021/22:

- The number of staff working at the organisation in each of these financial years*
- The total wage bill for each of these years*

Please also provide me with the current headcount of staff.”

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 all the information in scope of your request is held.

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

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:

Please include the information for each of the following financial years; 2019/20, 2020/21, 2021/22:

- The number of staff working at the organisation in each of these financial years
- The total wage bill for each of these years

	Average FTE	Total wage bill (£000s)
2019/20	826	42,517
2020/21	826	44,464
2021/22	872	46,778

Please also provide me with the current headcount of staff.

Current FTE (30 November 22) 958.6