FOI 23/810

Dear

Thank you for your email.

"Under the freedom of information can you please clarify

1 if you or your organisation are aware of the latest study which shows the SV 40 contaminant in the mRna covid vaccines as shown here <u>DNA fragments</u> detected in monovalent and bivalent Pfizer/BioNTech and Moderna modRNA <u>COVID-19 vaccines from Ontario, Canada: Exploratory dose response</u> relationship with serious adverse events.

(PDF) Speicher DJ et al, DNA fragments detected in COVID-19 vaccines in Canada. DNA fragments detected in monovalent and bivalent

2 Have any independent studies been done to disprove this claim (please provide) using either qPCR or Flourometry studies

3 was the plasmid bioactive contaminated sequence pointed out to the regulatory authorities (as it doesn't appear to have been mentioned in the 10000s of pages released by Pfizer) <u>Pfizer 16+ Documents - Public Health</u> and Medical Professionals for Transparency

4 if question 1 is a yes what is being done to rectify the situation as it has potential to be a catastrophe as past history has taught us"

The MHRA does not hold the information you have requested. It is not the MHRA's role to provide comments on individual published literature articles. Any new safety information considered to have a potential impact on the benefit-risk balance of a medicinal product is considered in the context of the totality of evidence. Should a new safety concern be identified, the MHRA will take appropriate action to protect public health.

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Kind regards,

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