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Dear [REDACTED],

Release of Information

Thank you for your correspondence of 27 February 2023 in which you requested the following information:

'I would be most grateful if you would provide me, under the Freedom of Information Act, details in respect to the contract below.

GB-London: OPA T274 Occupational Health Services:  
<https://gbr01.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.contractsfinder.service.gov.uk%2FNotice%2F400a8ca5-b041-4c19-963e-544bece5604c&data=05%7C01%7Ccio-foi%40mod.gov.uk%7C84b2176451dc449319f708db18def744%7Cbe7760ed5953484bae95d0a16dfa09e5%7C0%7C1%7C638131118128635287%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWljojMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzliLCJBTiI6IjEhaWwiLCJXVCi6Mn0%3D%7C2000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=0B6xmTpdXjRUpoHpxxIUjNYs4awk3FGevD0y8ZCIXWQ%3D&reserved=0>

Just wanted to see if you would be re-tendering or looking to review alternative providers for your Occupational Health requirements. I understand your contract with your current provider ends 04/07/2023.'

Your enquiry has been considered to be a request for information in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (the Act).

A search has now been completed within The Oil and Pipelines Agency (OPA) and I can confirm that some information in scope of your request is held.

In response to your request, I can advise that the OPA will be seeking to retender the contract for Occupational Health Services. In order to comply with the Public-Sector

Procurement (Public Contracts Regulations 2015), the OPA will publish tender opportunities on <https://opa.delta-esourcing.com> and the accompanying notices, including award notices for each contract, will be automatically published on the Government publication 'Contracts Finder'. Any information concerning the contract for Occupational Health Services, will be released to the public at the point of retender.

Under section 16 (Advice and Assistance) of the Act, the following link to 'Contracts Finder' on the GOV.UK website may of interest to you:

<https://www.gov.uk/contracts-finder>

If you have any queries regarding the content of this letter, please contact this office in the first instance.

If you wish to complain about the handling of your request, or the content of this response, you can request 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](mailto:CIO-FOI-IR@mod.uk)). Please note that any request for an internal review should be made within 40 working days of the date of this response.

If you remain dissatisfied following an internal review, you may raise your complaint directly to the Information Commissioner under the provisions of Section 50 of the Freedom of Information Act. Please note that the Information Commissioner will not normally investigate your case until the MOD internal review process has been completed. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF. Further details of the role and powers of the Information Commissioner can be found on the Commissioner's website at <https://ico.org.uk/>.

Yours sincerely

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