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Email: [REDACTED]

02 February 2024

Dear [REDACTED],

FOI 24/036: Company Information

Thank you for your email, dated 11 January 2024, in which you requested: 'Would it be possible to obtain a list of Companies who are currently under IAG or CMT?' It is taken that by 'IAG' and 'CMT' you refer to 'Inspection Action Group' and 'Compliance Management Team'.

The information that you have requested cannot be disclosed. Under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) the applicable exemption is section 30: "Investigations and Proceedings Conducted by Public Authorities.

We have considered the balance of the public interest when applying this exemption. The exemption is to ensure that the regulatory authority is able to carry out its statutory functions efficiently, fairly, unimpeded and confidentially. Releasing this information would be unfair in cases where the subject(s) of the investigation was (were) either found not to be in breach of legislation or was (were) able to bring themselves into compliance without the need for any legal sanctions to be applied, thus potentially damaging their reputation. In this case, I have not identified any issues which would benefit the public as a whole by being brought to their attention (examples of issues would be a major public health risk or a major procedural failure or irregularity).

However, of note, a published list of companies who have had their licenses suspended or revoked is accessible via the below electronic link:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/suspended-licences-for-manufacturers-and-wholesalers-of-medicines>

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We trust that you will find this information of use. If you disagree with how we have interpreted the Freedom of Information Act 2000 in answering your request, you can ask us to review our actions and decisions by writing to: info@mhra.gov.uk, and requesting an internal review.

Please note that your internal review request must be in a recordable format (email, letter, audio tape etc.), and that you have 40 working days upon receipt of this letter to ask for a review. We aim to provide a full response to your review request within 20 working days of its receipt. Please quote the reference number above in any future communications.

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you would have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. Please bear in mind that the Information Commissioner will not normally review our handling of your request unless you have first contacted us to conduct an internal review. The Information Commissioner can be contacted online via an electronic form: <https://ico.org.uk/make-a-complaint/foi-and-eir-complaints/foi-and-eir-complaints/>

Or in writing to:

Information Commissioner's Office,
Wycliffe House,
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Yours sincerely,

HQA FOI Team

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