

Reference: 2024-084

Thank you for your email in which you requested the following information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA):

- 1. The amount spent per recruitment agency?**
- 2. The areas of the business where this recruitment spend is allocated?**
- 3. If you have a Preferred Supplier List (PSL), when is it due for renewal?**

Response

Please see below our response to your questions in the order asked.

Question 1

For information on recruitment expenditure, please see our Annual Report and Accounts: [Annual Report & Accounts 2023-24 - GOV.UK](#). For information from previous years, please visit the National Archive website: [Archive Timeline - UK Government Web Archive](#).

Question 2

We do not hold data in the way you have requested. Recruitment spend is allocated across the SFO.

Question 3

We do not have a Preferred Supplier List.