Reference: 2025-005

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

Please could you disclose all your policies relating to staff integrity, vetting, conduct and fraud. Please also confirm if there are any exemptions for your staff from the Civil Service Code of Conduct.

Response

The Serious Fraud Office (SFO) abides by the Civil Service Code of Conduct and relevant staffing policies, see details here: The Civil Service code - GOV.UK or staff security and vetting policies, please see this information: Government baseline personnel security standard.

With regards to exemptions, all SFO staff are expected to abide by the Civil Service Code of Conduct.