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Dear [REDACTED],

Thank you for your email of 31<sup>st</sup> October 2025 containing your request for information. The Government Legal Department ("GLD") have considered your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 ("the Act", "FOIA")

## Request

Under the Freedom of Information Act, I would like to know the following information:

Please detail the total spend on cloud services, the percentage of IT budget allocated to cloud services versus on-premise IT infrastructure, and the number of systems migrated to the cloud within your department each year for the past three years from December to November (Including this year).

E.g.

December 2024 to November 2025:

- Total spend on cloud Services: £400,000
- Percentage of IT budget allocated to cloud services versus on-premise IT infrastructure: 40% to cloud, 60% to on-premise
- Number of systems migrated to the cloud: 8

## Response

Pursuant to Section 1(1)(a) of the Act, GLD confirms that it **holds** the information you have requested.

### **October 2022 to November 2023**

*Total spend on cloud services: £183,825*

*Total spend on on-premise IT infrastructure: £254,938*

*Total IT Cloud and on premise spend: £438,763*

*Percentage:*

- *Cloud services: 41.9%*
- *On-premise infrastructure: 58.1%*

*Number of systems migrated to the cloud: 0*

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**October 2023 to November 2024**

Total spend on cloud services: £392,168

Total spend on on-premise IT infrastructure: £562,166

Total IT Cloud and on premise spend: £954,334

Percentage:

- Cloud services: 41.1%
- On-premise infrastructure: 58.9%

Number of systems migrated to the cloud: 0

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**October 2024 to November 2025**

Total spend on cloud services: £327,575

Total spend on on-premise IT infrastructure: £570,219

Total IT Cloud and on premise spend: £897,794

Percentage:

- Cloud services: 36.5%
- On-premise infrastructure: 63.5%

Number of systems migrated to the cloud: 0

**Your Rights**

If you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask GLD for an internal review. Internal review requests should be submitted to GLD within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original correspondence. Please use the contact details provided at the top of this letter in order to request an internal review relating to your original request.

Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

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Yours sincerely,

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