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Dear [REDACTED]

Freedom of Information Request - FOI 25_230

Thank you for your email of 09 September 2025 which contained your request for information. The Government Legal Department ("GLD") have processed your request pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act 2000 ("the Act", "FOIA").

Request

- 1. The full estimated expenditure to date across all linked proceedings, not limited to the ordinate EWHC (Admin) case.***
- 2. The anticipated forward liability of the public purse given the number of outstanding hearings and appeals.***
- 3. Whether this figure is expected to be sought against me personally by way of a costs order. If so, please let me know when you wish to bankrupt me, so I may plan accordingly.***

Response

Pursuant to Section 1(1)(a) of the Act, GLD informs you that it does not hold the information you have requested. GLD does not hold any recorded information relating to your information request. To answer these questions, GLD would need to create information. As GLD is not required to create information to satisfy an information request made pursuant to the Act, GLD does not hold this information for the purposes of the Act.

GLD would like to draw your attention to Section 14(1) and 14(2) of the Act. Section 14(1) of the Act makes clear that a Public Authority, like GLD, can refuse a request if it is Vexatious. Considering the number of requests GLD has received from yourself in quick succession for similar information, you are reminded that GLD must consider the burden placed upon it in dealing with said requests.

Please have due regard for Section 14(2) of the Act which sets out that GLD, as a Public Authority, may refuse a request if it the request is for substantially similar information without a reasonable interval.

Further information on Section 14(1) and Section 14(2) of the Act can be found on the ICO's website, [here](#).

Your Rights

If you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review. Internal review requests should be submitted 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:

Information Commissioner's Office

Wycliffe House

Water Lane

Wilmslow

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Yours sincerely,

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