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Dear [redacted]

Thank you for your email of 8th February 2025 which contained your request for information. The Government Legal Department ("GLD") have processed your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 ("the Act").

Request

Under the FOI act, I would like to understand the difference in time between MP Andrew Gwynn's messages in the WhatsApp group recently publicised, making comments about Angela Rayner, and the comments about Dianne Abbott.

I would like to see these messages, the time difference between, the comments in between, and the senders of those messages.

I see this as being a point of transparency for the British voters, and in the interest of a transparent government - especially in light of MP Andrew Gwynne's recent sacking.

Response

Pursuant to Section 1(1)(a) of the Act, GLD informs you that it does not hold the information you have requested.

Subject to the Section 16 of the Act, GLD has an obligation to provide advice and assistance to applicants. GLD advises you to contact the Cabinet Office. Please find their details below:

Cabinet Office
Room G39, 1 Horse Guards Road
London
SW1H 2HQ
United Kingdom
Email: foi-team@cabinetoffice.gov.uk

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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SK9 5AF
www.ICO.org.uk

Yours sincerely,

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