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Dear Mr Gradwick

Thank you for your email of 1 September asking for any correspondence with either the Prime Minister's Office or the Cabinet Office on why a signatory was removed from a petition on the Downing Street website.

Your request has been handled under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

This information is personal data and disclosure of it would contravene the first data protection principle (personal data shall be processed fairly and lawfully) contained in Schedule 1 of the Data Protection Act 1998. There is no public interest to consider in this instance.

Yours sincerely

NS Howard

NICHOLAS HOWARD

Mr Stephen Gradwick



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If you are unhappy with the level of service you have received from this office in relation to any aspect of your request, you may ask for an internal review.

You should contact:

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You should note that the Cabinet Office will not normally accept an application for internal review if it is received more than two months after the date that the reply was issued.

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

Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire
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