



18 March 2009

Michael McCarthy
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(by email only)

Dear Mr McCarthy,

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000

Thank you for your email of 17 February 2009 in which you asked for the following information:

"I would like to see any policy documents which provide guidelines for handling including refusing, delaying and deeming vexatious) Freedom of Information requests on politically sensitive matters.

I include within this request any documents that define which kinds of Fol requests are considered to be politically sensitive, and any documents which review how Fol legislation has impacted, or might potentially impact, on politically sensitive matters."

I am writing to advise you that following a search of our paper and electronic records, I have established that the information you requested is not held by the Cabinet Office.

If you have any queries about this letter, please contact me. Please remember to quote the reference number below in any future communications.

If you are unhappy with the service you have received in relation to your request or wish to request an internal review, you should write to:

Sue Gray
Director
Cabinet Office
70 Whitehall
London
SW1A 2AS

email: foiteam@cabinet-office.x.gsi.gov.uk

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 your internal review, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. Generally, the Commissioner cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the complaints procedure provided by Cabinet Office. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

The Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire
SK9 5AF

*Yours sincerely,
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