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Dear Charles Ghose,

Freedom of Information request – RFI20200605

Thank you for your request to the BBC of 22 May 2020 seeking the following information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 ('the Act'):

"1. Is the building in New York City that is the headquarters of BBC America rented or owned by BBC Studios or BBC America or other BBC entity?

2. Has BBC America HQ remained at the same location in New York City, or has it relocated throughout its time in NYC?

3. How much revenue was made by television subscriptions to BBC America during 2015 - February 2020?

4. On January 8th 2020 BBC Studios sold 14 television series to CW Seed Network for streaming in the United States. What are the titles of those 14 television series?

5. In the 2004 merger of BBC Studio brand 2 Entertain and Video Collection International. Which movie titles did BBC Studio acquire from the Video Collection International Movie catalogue?

6. How many television programmes and movies are available in an audio described version, to watch or stream on demand on BritBox?

7. How many television programmes and movies are available in an audio described version, to watch or stream on demand on BBC America?

8. How many television programmes and movies are available in an audio described version, to watch or stream on BBC Canada ?

9. Are there any plans to make any of the television programmes and movies on BritBox launch in Australia, to be available in an audio described version, to watch or stream on demand?

10. What will be the subscription fee for Australia nsubscribers of Britbox once its launch in Australia, in late 2020? Please state the different types of fees for example per month, per year."

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<https://www.bbcamerica.com/>

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Yours sincerely,

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