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Thank you for your Freedom of Information request received on 31 March 2019. You asked for:

Further to today's Mail on Sunday report quoted below, please disclose a copy of the "dossier" and "letter".

"Officials working for Work and Pensions Secretary Amber Rudd have submitted a dossier to the Corporation of what they describe as 'biased and inaccurate' reporting about people's ability to survive on the benefits...

But in a hard-hitting letter to the broadcaster, a Department for Work and Pensions official wrote..."

DWP Response:

Following a search of our paper and electronic records, we have established that the information you requested is not held by this Department.

If you have any queries about this letter, please contact the Department quoting the reference number above.

Yours sincerely,

Communications FOI Team
Department for Work and Pensions

Your right to complain under the Freedom of Information Act

If you are not happy with this response you may request an internal review by e-mailing freedom-of-information-request@dwp.gov.uk or by writing to DWP, Central Fol Team, Caxton House, Tothill Street, SW1H 9NA. Any review request should be submitted within two months of the date of this letter.

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner's Office for a decision. Generally, the Commissioner cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted our own complaints procedure. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: The Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow Cheshire SK9 5AF Web: ico.org.uk/Global/contact_us or telephone 0303 123 1113 or 01625 545745