

DWP Central Freedom of Information Team

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Our Ref: VTR 4753

14 October 2013

Dear Mr Zola,

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request received on 4 October 2013. You asked for:-

*Subsequent to your comments concerning my internal review request for:*

*Internet devices and Universal Jobmatch*

*"Due to the complexities of your original Freedom of Information request, it was necessary to liaise with the departments' lawyers and other policy stakeholders to ensure that you received an accurate response. "*

*[https://www.whatdotheyknow.com/request/internet\\_devices\\_and\\_universal\\_#incoming-436581](https://www.whatdotheyknow.com/request/internet_devices_and_universal_#incoming-436581)*

*Can you please email the names, departments and job titles of the lawyers consulted.*

*I would also like the names of the individuals, their job titles and organisations that comprised of the "other policy stakeholders"*

Three lawyers from DWP Legal Services were consulted; the job title for each is Lawyer. The 'other policy stakeholders' were a Team Leader and a Subject Lead from DWP Service Integration Division, and two Policy Managers from DWP Strategy Group.

The names of the individuals are being withheld as requests for personal information of staff below Senior Civil Service (SCS) grade is exempt under Section 40(2) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000; this exemption covers personal information. Personal information about another person cannot be disclosed to a member of the public without the consent of the person who the information is about, as unauthorised disclosure would contravene the data protection principles of the Data Protection Act 1998

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

Yours sincerely,

DWP Central FoI Team

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### **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@dwpgsi.gov.uk](mailto:freedom-of-information-request@dwpgsi.gov.uk) or by writing to DWP, Central FoI Team, Caxton House, Tothill Street, London, 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 [www.ico.gov.uk](http://www.ico.gov.uk)