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Jack Rose

By email: request-656902-05e840e3@whatdotheyknow.com

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Dear Jack Rose

I refer to your request where you asked:

"I wish to request the evidence to show that the reason the Government missed out, on a vital and much needed scheme to procure ventilators, was because the email went in to a 'spam inbox'.

Obviously, in 2020, staff should be well-trained to check all inboxes. They should also know that this could happen.

I've used the excuse many times, that the email I missed was in the spam inbox. I would like to make sure, for myself and for the British public, that the government did not purposely ignore the email due to Brexit."

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.

You may wish to try contacting the Department of Health and Social Care at the following link: <a href="https://contactus.dhsc.gov.uk/">https://contactus.dhsc.gov.uk/</a>, who may be able to help you with your request.

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:

Eirian Walsh Atkins Cabinet Office 70 Whitehall London SW1A 2AS

email: foi-team@cabinetoffice.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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