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Dear John Macedo-morgan

Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your enquiry of 11 December 2023, which we have considered under the terms of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (the FOI Act).

You asked for the following information:

Dear HM Treasury,

Dear HM Revenue and Customs,

Please can you tell me the percentage split of an individuals national insurance contributions? I would like to understand what these contributions fund and by how much.

Following a search of our records, we can confirm that HM Treasury does hold information within the scope of your request.

Information on the receipts from National Insurance contributions and how they are used is regularly published on the GOV.UK website at:

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Yours sincerely

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