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Good Afternoon

We've been made aware that many of the public bodies we work with have received Freedom of Information requests relating to their work with us. If you are a public body and should you receive a request, please know that we're on hand to provide advice and support where possible.

It's important to note that WEI submissions typically include a lot of personal data (including special category data) so we would need to ask that if submissions were shared, all of this would be redacted. We would also ask that you redact all personal data from other documents, such as email correspondence, that you might share. With regards to our feedback provided, this is provided to organisations in confidence (as per our privacy statement) and it is our view that disclosure would represent a breach of confidence.

Further, it is our view that our commercial interests would likely be damaged by disclosure (for example, disclosure could give other organisations entering the WEI an advantage, or because disclosure would undermine confidence in the WEI). We believe that public interest in applying the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosure.

I hope that this is helpful and please do let me know if any further questions arise.



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