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Dear Ms Bunce,

Thank you for your information request of 23 October 2019. You asked the following:

I am interested in the data collected from the London Area Travel Survey for 2001. I am investigating the difference in travel patterns between men and women in the London area so these survey results would be very useful for my research.

Information on the origin and destination of journeys, stations used, ticket type, reason for travel, sex and age would all be needed for my research to be carried out fully.

I would be interested in any information held by your organisation regarding my request. I would like to receive the information in electronic format if possible, or hard copy if necessary.

Your request has been considered under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

I am writing to confirm that the Department for Transport does hold the information you requested on the London Area Travel Survey (LATS) for 2001.

Attached to this letter are tables and analysis from the survey dataset for the variables you are interested in. I have also attached a copy of a LATS report, which summarises the headline findings from the National Rail component of the LATS 2001. Data items in this include, journey volumes, origins and destinations, journey purpose, time of travel, access modes to and from stations and demographic characteristics of travellers.

If it is helpful, I can provide you with some additional information on LATS that may be of interest to you. Please contact me direct, ideally by telephone at the number given, if you would like to discuss this further.

If you are unhappy with the way the Department has handled your request or with the decisions made in relation to your request you may complain within two calendar months of the date of this letter by writing to the Department's FOI Advice Team at:

Zone D/04
Ashdown House
Sedlescombe Road North
Hastings
East Sussex TN37 7GA
E-mail: FOI-Advice-Team-DFT@dft.gov.uk

Please send or copy any follow-up correspondence relating to this request to the FOI Advice Team to help ensure that it receives prompt attention. Please also remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

Please see attached details of DfT's complaints procedure and your right to complain to the Information Commissioner.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Margaret Shaw". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long, sweeping underline that curves to the right.

Margaret Shaw

Your right to complain to DfT and the Information Commissioner

You have the right to complain within two calendar months of the date of this letter about the way in which your request for information was handled and/or about the decision not to disclose all or part of the information requested. In addition a complaint can be made that DfT has not complied with its FOI publication scheme.

Your complaint will be acknowledged and you will be advised of a target date by which to expect a response. Initially your complaint will be re-considered by the official who dealt with your request for information. If, after careful consideration, that official decides that his/her decision was correct, your complaint will automatically be referred to a senior independent official who will conduct a further review. You will be advised of the outcome of your complaint and if a decision is taken to disclose information originally withheld this will be done as soon as possible.

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire
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