

Committee on Radioactive Waste Management Victoria 316-319, 3rd Floor 1 Victoria Street London SW1H 0ET

> E: corwm@beis.gov.uk 7 August 2022

Marianne Birkby

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT REQUEST (OUR REF: 7th August CoRWM FOI Request)

Dear Marianne Birkby,

Thank you for your email of 7th August where you requested the following information:

I request sight of all advice compiled by Mark Kirkbride on the following:

- 1. Methods of investigation, and the timescale for carrying out site selection.
- 2. All Costings as advised by Mark Kirkbride to date.

The Committee on Radioactive Waste Management (CoRWM) understands that you are asking about all advice compiled by Mark Kirkbride on methods of investigation, and the timescale for carrying out site selection in relation to the development of a GDF. The Committee does not hold the information related to this request.

CoRWM understands that you are also asking about Mark Kirkbride's contribution to a draft report on the costs of a GDF. This is under development and will be published on the CoRWM website when finalised.

Appeals procedure

If you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review. Internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original request and should be addressed to CoRWM at: corwm@beis.gov.uk.

Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

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, SK9 5AF.

Yours sincerely,

CoRWM