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Our Reference:  
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Dear Mr Dawson,

### Request for Information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your enquiry of 11 June 2010, asking for “compliance data for 2009, 2008 and 2007” for the submarine safety performance metric “The Ability to Comply”. This is considered to be a request for information in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

I can confirm that we hold the information you requested for 2008 and 2009. We do not, however, hold information for 2007 as the collection of this data only started in 2008.

The information you requested is in the following table:

Safety Performance Indicator	Description	2008	2009
2.1A	% Filled Professional Engineering Posts	84.4	90.6
2.2A	% Exercises Completed To Plan (see note 2).	N/A	100.0
2.2B	Exercise Reports Overdue Actions	0.5	0.0
2.3A	% Funded Safety Posts	80.0	71.6
2.3B	% Resourced Safety Posts	80.0	66.1
2.4A	% Of Organisational Change Safety Assessed	95.8	85.7

#### Notes:

- 1 Data is a mathematical average per quarter for that year.
- 2 SPI 2.2A was changed from the number of exercises to the % of exercises completed against the exercise programme from 1 Sep 2008.

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Yours sincerely,

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