

Responses to Freedom of Information requests 2023-24

Month	Request	Summary Response
April 2023	Information on which social groups have been classed as extremist	Information not held by CSC; directed to Home Office
	Request for information on Cloud Infrastructure for the Food Standards Agency	Information not held by CSC; directed to the Food Standards Agency
	Request for information on cloud infrastructure	Information not held; directed to Cabinet Office
May 2023	Request for competitions chaired by Commissioners where no appointable candidate was found	List of Commissioner led competitions with no appointable candidates provided
	Request for all complaints raised to the CSC in the months February, March and April from 2019-2023	Advised on the number of complaints
	Request for information on Civil Service entrance exams	Information not held by CSC; directed to National Archives
June 2023	Request for information on part time roles	Provided available data
	Request for generic civil service contract copy	Information not held; directed to Cabinet office
	Request on headcount and participation in Insights Discovery profile	Information provided
July 2023	Request for information about corporate estates	No information to report; directed to Cabinet Office
	Request for information on their service as a firefighter	Information not held; directed to MoD
	Information regarding COVID government gatherings	Information not held; directed to Cabinet Office
	Use of Customer Relationship Management software	No information to report
	Details of invoices not paid within 30 days (regulation	Information not held; directed to Cabinet Office

	113, public contracts regulations 2015) from 2017/18 to 2022/23	
	Copy of Board Minutes 21/22 & 22/23	Copies provided, with some information redacted under exemption
August 2023	Information regarding the personal connection DHSC Permanent Secretary had with a witness in regards to the Infected Blood Inquiry	Information not held; directed to DHSC
	Information on when specific roles were advertised on CS Jobs	Information not held; directed to MoD
	Numbers of staff promoted into, promoted internally and recruited into HM Prison and Probation Service over the past 3 years, which did not follow the fair and open recruitment principles	Information not held; directed to HMPSS
	Information regarding Recruitment Principles breaches in the last 2 years	Advised on the number of complaints
	Reserve list information from Government Recruitment Service	Information not held; directed to GRS
	Copy of the Civil Service Staff Manual c.1987	Information not held; directed to UK Civil Service Library
	Number of staff who are allowed to work from abroad	Information provided
	Information on software applications	Information not held; directed to CO
	Information held by the Department for Work and Pensions regarding a complaint	Information not held; directed to DWP
	September 2023	Information related to a job application made to the Home Office
Documents in relation to the recruitment of seasonal Border Force Officers		Information not held; directed to HO
Information regarding Senior		Information not held;

	Civil Service roles	directed to various departments
	IT equipment	Information not held; directed to CO
	Information on their employment at Ministry of Defence	Information not held; directed to MOD
October 2023	Information about a neighbour	Information not held; directed to local council
	Information about the sift for a role in an unnamed government department	Information not held; directed to the relevant department
November 2023	Cost of posters	No information to report
December 2023	Legal spend	No external law firms contracted; Government Legal Department spend outlined in CSC annual report
	SCS 2 Grade outcomes	Informed of SCS 2+ competitions and SCS 2+ Exceptions for years requested
	Mandatory 40% work in office cost to the Civil Service	Information not held; directed to other government departments
	Any expenditure on translation and language services	Nothing to report
	Information on an HM Revenue and Customs campaign	Information not held; directed to HMRC
January 2024	Number of civil service employees hired with criminal convictions	Information not held; directed to other government departments
	LGBTQIA+ information about staff	Information not held; directed to CO
February 2024	Information regarding a deceased relative's civil service career	Information not held; directed to DWP
	Number of Subject Access Requests received	Information provided

	8-year complaints statistics & compliance measures of the CS Code	Information provided
	Request to know the legal owner of a highway	Information not held; directed to the relevant local authority
	Translation services used	Nothing to report
	Annual Report 2005/06 (2005 amendment to 1995 Order in Council)	Amendment document provided
March 2024	Staff networks	Information not held, directed to Cabinet Office
	Government funding	Referred to the online Annual Report and Accounts
	Commission history and status as legal entity	Referred to the Constitutional Reform and Governance Act 2010 online
	The Advisory Committee on Business Appointments' government funding	Referred to the online Annual Report and Accounts
	NHS Spending	Information not held, referred to NHS England