

Response

Thank you for your request for information, attached.

Please find attached the following:

- The specification and quote
- Analysis tables
- Text to accompany the tables

Due to the low value of the work, there was no contract put in place to deliver this.

Please note that the names of individuals have been removed from the emails. It would be disproportionate for us to publically disclose the identity of Commission staff given their position within the organisation unless there is a strong public interest in doing so. Likewise, the details relating to individuals at the researcher have been removed on this basis.

These individuals have a legitimate expectation that their personal details will not be disclosed unnecessarily; there is no legitimate public interest in disclosing their data and it would not be fair to do so. As releasing the data would contravene the first data protection principle, this information is exempt under section 40(2) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Review of the decision

If you are unhappy with the service you have received in relation to your Freedom of Information request and wish to make a complaint or request a review of our decision, you should write to FOI Team, Gambling Commission, 4th floor, Victoria Square House, Victoria Square, Birmingham, B2 4BP.

If you are not content with the outcome of your complaint, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner (ICO) for a decision. Generally, the ICO cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the complaints procedure provided by the Gambling Commission. The ICO can be contacted at: The Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire SK9 5AF.

Request

I write in accordance with my rights under Section 1 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 and make the following Freedom of Information request.

I specifically require a copy of the terms of tender for work done by Bryson Purdon, a copy of the contract with Bryson Purdon and a copy of the subsequent submission by Bryson Purdon to the Gambling Commission.

I would prefer to receive this information electronically, preferably not as a PDF. If the decision is made to withhold some of this data using exemptions under the Data Protection Act, please inform me of that fact and cite the exemptions used.

If some documents which form part of this request are easier to obtain than others, then I respectfully request that you release the available information, as soon as possible.

Please contact me using the details below if you require any clarification on my request.

I should be grateful if you could confirm in writing that you have received this request and I look forward to hearing from you within the 20 working day statutory time period.

