

23 October 2018

2018-19/FOI 004

Dear

Thank you for your email to the Boundary Commission for England (BCE) of 15 October 2018. As requested this email is being considered as a request for information under the terms of the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) 2000:

- 1. Name of the unions signatory to your main collective agreement covering pay and conditions.
- 2. Please state the settlement date of your latest collective pay agreement.
- 3. Please state the employee groups covered by the pay agreement.
- 4. Please state the number of employees covered by the agreement.
- 5. Please provide a copy of your latest pay agreement.
- 6. Was the latest pay settlement under the remit of the 2018/19 Civil Service pay guidance?
- 7. Please list the current grades and pay rates together with the previous year's grades and rates for the below roles or their equivalents:
- a] Administrative Assistant (AA)
- b] Administrative Officer (AO)
- c] Executive Officer (EO)
- d] Higher Executive Officer (HEO)
- e] Senior Executive Officer (SEO)
- f] Grade 6
- g] Grade 7
- 8. Please give details of any individual performance-related increases paid.
- 9] Please state the overall paybill increase as a result of the 2018/19 pay settlement (including employer National Insurance and employer pension contributions).
- 10] Please provide the name and contact details of the person/s responsible for overseeing

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11] If no agreement has yet to be reached please state the month in which you anticipate

2018/19 pay increase will be paid.

The Boundary Commission for England is a small advisory non-departmental public body, whose pay negotiations and the implementation of any eventual settlement are dealt with by our sponsor department the Cabinet Office. You may therefore wish to resubmit your request to the Cabinet Office FOI team direct at the following email address: foiteam@cabinetoffice.gov.uk.

If you have any queries about the content of this reply please contact me direct, quoting the above reference number on any communication.

Under the provisions of the FOI Act if you are dissatisfied with the response provided you may wish to ask for an internal review. The BCE has a reciprocal arrangement with the Boundary Commission for Wales and in this case you should write to:

The Secretary to the Boundary Commission for Wales, Ground Floor, Fitzalan Court, Cardiff, CF24 0BL

Email: bcomm.wales@wales.gsi.gov.uk

If it transpires you are not content with our response or the internal review, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. Generally, the Information Commissioner cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the complaints procedure provided by the BCE. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

The Office of the Information Commissioner, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF

Regards.

Mr Chris Wilcox Information Manager