

Dear Ms [REDACTED]

BCE-FOI-2023/1

Thank you for your email request for information to the Boundary Commission for England (BCE) on 16 August 2023, which has been considered under the terms of the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) 2000. In your request for information you asked:

The information I'm requesting is regarding the software contracts that the organisation uses, for the following fields.

1. *Does your organisation use any applications or software to record Record of Processing Activity (ROPA)?*

If so, please state the product name(s) and version numbers(s) (if known)

BCE response: None used

2. *Does your organisation use any applications or software to support preparation for, or maintenance of ISO 27001 and/or ISO 27701 compliance?*

If so, please state the product name(s) and version numbers(s) (if known)

BCE response: None used

3. *Does your organisation use any applications or software associated with data breach management?*

BCE response: None used

4. *Does your organisation use any applications or software associated with Freedom of Information management?*

BCE response: Yes. Google sheets

If so, please state the product name(s) and version numbers(s) (if known)

5. *Does your organisation use any applications or software for Policy Management?*

If so, please state the product name(s) and version numbers(s) (if known)

BCE response: None used

6. *Does your organisation use any eLearning for Data Protection and Security Awareness?*

If so, please state the product name(s) and version numbers(s) (if known)

BCE response: All learning is provided b our sponsor department, Department for Levelling Up Housing and Communities. If you wish to seek further information on this, might I suggest you contact: mhclgcorrespondence@levellingup.gov.uk

7. Has your organisation reviewed / explored the market regarding the provision of technology which supports the delivery of Information Governance functions?

BCE response: No

If yes - please specify what actions have been taken?

If no - does your organisation have any plans to review / explore this market in the next 3 years?

BCE response: No

8. Has your organisation allocated budget / financial resources regarding the commissioning / procurement of technology which supports the delivery of Information Governance functions?

BCE response: No

If yes - please specify what actions have been taken?

If no - does your organisation have any plans to allocate budget / financial resources in the next 3 years?

BCE response: No

9. Has your organisation developed a business case (outline or otherwise) regarding the commissioning / procurement of technology which supports the delivery of Information Governance functions?

BCE response: No

If yes - please specify what actions have been taken?

If no - does your organisation have any plans to develop a business case in the next 3 years?

BCE response: No

10. Will there be any opportunities to engage with your organisation regarding the commissioning / procurement of technology which supports the delivery of Information Governance function in the next three years?

BCE response: No

Yours faithfully,

Under the provisions of the FOI Act if you are dissatisfied with the response provided you may wish to ask for an internal review. If this situation arises you should write to:

The Secretary to the Boundary Commission for England
35 Great Smith Street
Westminster
London
SW1P 3BQ

Email: information@boundarycommissionengland.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

Kind Regards,