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Dear

BCE-FOI-2025-6

Thank you for your email request for information to the Boundary Commission for England (BCE) on 11 April, which has been considered under the terms of the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) 2000.

In your request for information you asked:

Please include the following information for the following financial years 2022/23,2023/24 and 2024/25:

- A list of all flights taken by employees and board members, including the following details:
 - The airline
 - The class (e.g. economy, business, first)
 - The departure airport and destination
 - The cost
 - The dates of travel
 - The name of the hotels stayed at, if possible
 - The cost of any other expenses.

Our response:

The Commission does not directly employ staff. During this period staff were employed by Cabinet Office and then by Ministry of Housing, Communities and Local Government. We do not hold any records of flights made by staff during these periods.

We have Commissioners rather than board members. We hold no record of flights during the 2022/23 or 2024/25 financial years. Their flights and associated expenses within the 2023/24 financial year are as follows:

British Airways	Economy	Heathrow Edinburgh	£50.68	7/12/2023
EasyJet	not recorded	d Edinburgh Gatwick	£128.47	10/12/2023
Edinburgh Holyrood Hotel			£159.00	7/12/2023
Guildford - London Road (Guildford) Train		£3.20	7/12/2023
Guildford - Heathrow	Coach		£9.50	7/12/2023
Edinburgh - hotel	Tram		£9.00	7/12/2023
Gatwick - London Road (Guidlford)	Train		£10.85	10/12/2023
British Airways	Economy	Edinburgh Heathrow	£56.27	8/12/2023
British Airways	Economy	Heathrow Edinburgh	£56.23	7/12/2023

Edinburgh Holyrood Hotel		£149.00	7/12/2023
Hltchin - Faringdon return	Train	£41.40	7/12/2023
Faringdon - Heathrow	Train	£13.30	7/12/2023
Heathrow - Faringdon	Train	£13.30	8/12/2023
Edinburgh - hotel	Тахі	£35.20	7/12/2023
Hotel - Edinburgh	Тахі	£37.10	8/12/2023
Drink at Edinburgh Airport		£1.75	8/12/2023

Under the provisions of the FOIA , 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 Acting Secretary Boundary Commission for England 2 Marsham Street London SW1P 4DF

Email: information@boundarycommissionengland.gov.uk

If you are not content with our response following an 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



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Friday 11thth April 2025

RE: Request under the Freedom of Information Act (2000)

Dear Information Team

This is an information request relating to flights taken by staff in your organisation.

Please include the following information for the following financial years 2022/23,2023/24 and 2024/25:

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A list of all flights taken by employees and board members, including the following details:

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- The cost of any other expenses.

If it is not possible to provide the information requested due to the information exceeding the

cost of compliance limits identified in Section 12, please provide advice and assistance, under the Section 16 obligations of the Act, as to how I can refine my request.

If you have any queries please don't hesitate to contact me via email or phone and I will be very happy to clarify what I am asking for.

I would prefer a response via email, but if this is not possible, I will gladly accept letters to the address below.

Please acknowledge this information request as soon as possible.

Kind regards,

TaxPayers' Alliance, 55 Tufton Street, London SW1P 3QL

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