



6 November 2020

Dear [REDACTED],

Freedom of Information request: FOI2020/00370

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request received on the 30 October in which you requested the following:

Your request:

My name is [REDACTED], [REDACTED] [REDACTED] is one of the winners for the Smart Grant January 2020 ([REDACTED]).

I'd like to know how many applicants applied to this grant and how many won in total.

Our response:

I can confirm UK Research and Innovation (UKRI) hold the information relevant to your request. Please see the information below.

Please note that:

Stream 1: Projects 18 months or less in duration, with total project cost of £500k or less

Stream 2: Projects either over 18 months in duration and/or £500k project costs

There were 2728 applications submitted, 288 of these were ineligible. Ineligible applications are not split into streams, therefore only the total number of eligible applications received is available per stream:

Stream	Number of eligible applications submitted	Number of successful applications
Stream 1	2089	129
Stream 2	351	23
Total	2440	152

If you have any queries regarding our response or you are unhappy with the outcome of your request and wish to seek an internal review of the decision, please contact:

Head of Information Governance

Email: foi@ukri.org or infogovernance@ukri.org

Please quote the reference number above in any future communications.

If you are still not content with the outcome of the internal review, you may apply to refer the matter to the Information Commissioner for a decision. Generally, the ICO cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the review procedure provided by UKRI. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: <http://www.ico.gov.uk/>

If you wish to raise a complaint regarding the service you have received or the conduct of any UKRI staff in relation to your request, please see UKRI's complaints policy: <https://www.ukri.org/about-us/policies-and-standards/complaints-policy/>

Yours sincerely,


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