



20 March 2023

Dear [REDACTED],

Freedom of Information request: FOI2023/00103

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request received on the 1 March in which you requested the following:

Your request:

I am making a FOI request regarding the Language Services Framework Agreement for the Offshore Renewable Energy Catapult.

I understand the published date for the last ITT was the 11 December 2019 and it should be released to the market again this year for a go live in December 2023.

- 1. Can the Authority confirm the retender dates of this opportunity*
- 2. Can the Authority provide an estimated annual spend*
- 3. Can the Authority provide a percentage breakdown between the value of Lot 1 and Lot 2*
- 4. Can the Authority provide a percentage breakdown between face to face interpreting and remote interpreting and the number of appointments over the last 12 months*
- 5. Can the Authority provide a list of language combinations and any international face to face locations over the last 12 months.*

Our response:

I can confirm that UK Research and Innovation (UKRI) do not hold any information relevant to your request.

The Language Service Framework Agreement was procured by the Offshore Renewable Energy Catapult and not Innovate UK. Therefore, no information is held on this contract.

We have identified that further information is available on [Contract Finder](#)¹ and [Bidstats](#)², and recommend that the [Offshore Renewable Energy Catapult](#)³ are contacted directly for any additional information.

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

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: www.ico.org.uk.

¹ <https://www.contractsfinder.service.gov.uk/Notice/b8b2e704-19a8-41f3-b73b-dc7296ba5c58>

² <https://bidstats.uk/tenders/2019/W50/716702010>

³ <https://ore.catapult.org.uk/contact/>

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Yours sincerely,


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