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11 February 2020

Dear [REDACTED],

Freedom of Information request: FOI2020/00014

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request received on the 14 January 2020 in which you requested the following:

Your request:

"Please could you help me out by providing the below information, regarding Innovate UK's 'July 19' Smart Competition. (This competition had a deadline of 16/10/19. Applicants were notified of the outcomes of the competition on 10/01/20.)

Please could you provide the below information for both [A] Projects 18 months or less in duration, with total project cost of £500k or less; [B] Projects either over 18 months in duration and/or £500k project costs.

1. *How many applications were submitted*
2. *How many applications were assessed by assessors (i.e. not deemed out of scope)*
3. *How many of the applications were resubmissions*
4. *Number of successful applications within each innovation area*
5. *The overall number funded*
6. *The average grant request of funded projects*
7. *The largest grant request of a funded project*
8. *The average score of successful applications*
9. *The lowest score of a successful application*
10. *The percentage of successful applications that were Industrial Research and the percentage that were Experimental Development.*

In case this isn't a usual request, please notice that there is a difference between 'project costs' and 'grant'."

Our response

I can confirm UK Research and Innovation (UKRI) hold the information relevant to your request. Please find the information requested attached with this letter in **Annex A_2020.00014**

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,

[Redacted Signature]

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