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**Freedom of Information request: FOI2020/00401**

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request received on the 19 November in which you requested the following:

**Your request:**

*Could you please provide me with the pass mark threshold(if available), and number of applications submitted for the following competition:*

*NATEP: helping SMEs innovate in aerospace Autumn 2020 , Application deadline: 18th November 2020*

**Our response**

I can confirm UK Research and Innovation (UKRI) hold some of the information relevant to your request. Please refer to our responses to your requests reference FOI2020/00306 and FOI2020/00366 where we informed you that the competitions you enquired about were still in the assessment process and information regarding pass-mark thresholds would not be available until these assessments were complete.

Similarly with regard to the competition "[NATEP: helping SMEs innovate in aerospace Autumn 2020](#)",<sup>1</sup> we cannot confirm the pass-mark threshold due to the fact that the competition is still in the assessment phase. Once all applications have completed the assessment phase and notifications have been sent out (providing there is no embargo on this competition) the information on the pass-mark threshold will be available at the end of January 2021. If you wish to receive this information please resubmit your request at the end of January.

We can however confirm that we had 34 applications submitted for this competition "*NATEP: helping SMEs innovate in aerospace Autumn 2020.*"

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](mailto:foi@ukri.org) or [infogovernance@ukri.org](mailto: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/>

<sup>1</sup> <https://apply-for-innovation-funding.service.gov.uk/competition/750/overview>

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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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