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Sent by Email to: chair@cnpolfed.co.uk

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REF FOIR 3/2016 - CPNA future pension arrangements - Information is being withheld under an absolute exemption

Dear Mr Nelson

Thank you for your email of 14th January 2016 in which you requested information, namely, any correspondence between UKAEA and any prospective future pension provider or manager in connection with the future pension arrangements of employees of the Civil Nuclear Police Authority.

I can confirm that we have had no correspondence with any prospective future manager applicable to your request. The only prospective pension provider applicable to your request is the Cabinet Office, a ministerial department of government. The correspondence which is subject of your request is the subject of developing government policy and is, therefore, covered by an absolute exemption under Section 35(1)(a) as applied by 2(1)(a) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000. This is an absolute exemption and there is therefore no requirement to consider the public interest.

If you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review. Internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be addressed to Catherine Pridham, Authority Secretary, at the address above or via Email: catherine.pridham@ccfe.ac.uk

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Yours sincerely,

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