

Disclosure Log of Information released in 2012

Reference Number	Date information released	Requested	Outcome
700	19/12/12	<p>To request the 'component scores' associated with food hygiene inspection information held on the FHRS/FHIS database as before.</p> <p>For every inspection we would request a numeric value relating to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Confidence in Management 2. Compliance with Hygiene regulations 3. Compliance with Structural regulations <p>It would be most helpful if you could arrange to supply this information to us in electronic format, indexed by:</p> <p>Council id</p> <p>Premises id</p> <p>Date of Inspection</p>	All information provided
699	21/12/12	Please provide copies of all statistical data from each local authority in their latest annual Imported Food (LAEMS) return to the Food Standards Agency, this is information related to imported food safety, including consignments entering the UK and checked, reasons for rejected consignments, sampling information and enforcement actions, please provide this in the form of an Excel spreadsheet or csv table.	All information provided
698	17/12/12	<p>Angel Hotel, Bury St Edmunds, Suffolk has now been rated with a food hygiene rating of 0.</p> <p>Please provide me with the recorded information in your possession upon which this rating was based.</p>	Part of the information was provided and part withheld under FOI s42.
697	14/12/12	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Total number of employees <p>Total number of Black employees (excluding white minorities eg Irish)</p>	All information provided.
696	12/12/12	<p>Re A TRAVES & SON LTD</p> <p>We would like to request Freedom of Information about the senders of the two letters (are they from the same person)!</p>	Part of the information was provided and part withheld under FOI s40.
695	07/12/12	A delivery of sheep was made to A Traves abattoir in Escrick, York on Saturday 27th October 2012 at 14.05, meaning the animals were on site some 17 hours longer	All information provided

		<p>than the regulations state. This was reported to the senior vet who covers that abattoir who confirmed the facts.</p> <p>I am requesting the following information under the Fol Act:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Was the delivery recoded in the plant's log at the time the delivery was made, showing the date and time? 2. What action has been taken by the FSA in response to this breach? 	
694	26/11/12	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Is the organisation planning to migrate to Windows 7? 2. If yes, which stage is the migration at? 3. What are the timeframes for this project – when is deployment expected to commence? 4. What is the budget and expected spend for this project? 5. Of this budget, how much (if any) has been assigned to testing the compatibility of applications? 6. Of this budget, how much (if any) has been assigned to remediating incompatible applications? 7. Of this budget, how much (if any) has been assigned to discovering and understanding the user environment and usage of applications? 8. How many computers are deployed across the estate, and how does this break down in terms of number of desktops and number of laptops? 9. Are any third party consultants, companies or partners involved in the migration process? <p>I would also find the following information useful:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A detailed project plan 2. A list of relevant project managers, along with contact details (email address and phone number) 3. A breakdown of any financial savings expected as a result of the migration. 	All information provided
693	20/11/12	<p>Please provide the following information related to A Traves & Sons Ltd, Escrick, York:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Is the Official Veterinarian (OV) present each day, for the full day, during all the hours of operation of the abattoir? 2. Are the only unloadings that the OV is not present for the ones that happen outside of the normal operating hours? 3. If the OV is not present each day for the whole of the operating hours what proportion of the hours does the OV attend and are the times of attendance known in advance? 4. If the OV is not present each day for the whole of the operating hours are the times of attendance known in 	Part of the information was provided and part withheld under FOI s43.

		<p>advance to the abattoir?</p> <p>5. Has A Traves & Sons Ltd appeared on any Cause for Concern list during the last three years and if so on what dates and for what reasons?</p> <p>Please provide the following information about information related to all slaughterhouses:</p> <p>6. Does the FSA maintain a central record of incidences of problems at unloading for each slaughterhouse?</p> <p>7. Does the FSA maintain a central record of when livestock deliveries do not meet legal requirements for each slaughterhouse?</p>	
692	20/11/12	<p>In relation to 'Yammer', I request information disclosing:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. how much money has been spent on Yammer including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Set-up costs o Costs derived from user registration o Licence fees 2. the projected monthly running costs for Yammer 3. the number of registered users who have used Yammer on more than 5 occasions 4. the number of registered users who have posted a comment on Yammer 5. the number of hours staff have spent logged in to Yammer 6. whether any contract exists for the provision of goods or services in relation to Yammer; and 7. if yes to point 6, the length of that contract. <p>For point 1, take the start date as being the day on which any work on developing or creating Yammer commenced and the end date being the date of this request. For point two, take the costs set aside in the budget for Yammer. Should those costs not be detailed, please take the costs for running Yammer in the month of September 2012. For points 3-4 take the start date as that date on which Yammer was launched for use by all staff.</p>	All information provided
691	13/11/12	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The number of external organisations (for instance, private investigators) commissioned to undertake surveillance under the provisions of RIPA for the Organisation and all executive agencies. Please provide disaggregated information if possible. 2. The number of non-public bodies or private investigators commissioned to undertake surveillance for the Organisation and all executive agencies. Please 	Part of the information was provided and part withheld under FOI s40.

		<p>provide disaggregated information if possible.</p> <p>3. The names of the contractors commissioned to undertake surveillance</p> <p>4. Total paid to the contractors commissioned to undertake surveillance</p> <p>5. For what reason(s) these external organisations (for instance, private investigators) were commissioned to carry out such surveillance.</p> <p>Please provide answers to each question for the financial years 2010-2011 and 2011-2012.</p>	
690	12/11/12	<p>Please can you supply me with total spend on the development and ongoing support for the FSSNet software system.</p> <p>If possible please break down the spend by year from the initial development of the software to the current financial year.</p>	All information provided
689	08/11/12	<p>Copies of all communications (including letters, emails and phone calls) between the Agency and the Science Media Centre since 12th May 2010.</p>	Part of the information was provided and part withheld under FOI s40.
688	31/10/12	<p>1) How much did it cost to maintain the restrictions on sheep farms in the UK due to the Chernobyl radiation deposits?</p> <p>2) What was the highest level of activity on any farm at the start of the restrictions and when they were finally lifted?</p> <p>3) What is the estimated dose to people that was averted by the restrictions?</p> <p>I would be very appreciative if you can point me to authoritative reports on the subject of food restrictions in the UK due to the Chernobyl accident.</p>	All information provided
687	31/10/12	<p>1. How many times have representatives of the Food Standards Agency (including FSA Scotland) been in communication (for example via email, letter or phone call) with the Royal Society for the Protection of Birds (RSPB) or Wildfowl and Wetlands Trust (WWT), including Mark Avery and Debbie Pain in the period from 1st January 2007 to 3rd October 2012.</p> <p>2. Please give details of the communication during this period and topics discussed.</p>	Part of the information was provided and part withheld under FOI s40.

		<p>3. How many times have representatives of the Food Standards Agency (including FSA Scotland) met with representatives from the RSPB or WWT, including Mark Avery and Debbie Pain for a meeting in the period from 1st January 2007 to 3rd October 2012.</p> <p>4. Please give details of the meeting(s) in this period, including attendees, topics discussed and minutes taken.</p>	
686	29/10/12	<p>Please could you send me a copy of the contract FSA199 1.7 (London Central Markets Smithfields - Official Veterinarians, MHIs and Lead Veterinarians) between yourselves and Eville and Jones for the provision of a fully managed service for the supply of Official Veterinarians, MHIs and short term Lead Veterinarians.</p>	Part of the information was provided and part withheld under FOI s40 and s43.
685	11/10/12	<p>The FSA recently completed the study “Habits and behaviours of high-level consumers of lead-shot wild game meat in Scotland” (project number FS421005). The stated aim of this project was to “<i>identify high level consumers of lead-shot wild-game meat in Scotland and to investigate the consumption habits and behaviour of these consumers in order to generate meaningful data to carry out a <u>risk assessment to assess the levels of lead to which these individuals are exposed.</u></i>”</p> <p>Please provide the full details of this risk assessment as stated in the aims of this project, including all information relating to the levels of lead to which individuals are exposed to and any recommendations to mitigate this risk. In each case, please give sources for the risks associated with lead and threshold levels assumed.</p>	All information provided
684	18/10/12	<p>For the period 1 January 2010 to 20 August 2012:</p> <p>All information relating to bullying and harassment, including but not limited to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ reported incidents of bullying and harassment, including the number of incidents, dates they occurred, a description of the incident, and – where applicable – the outcome of any investigation. This includes any report of incidents of bullying and harassment irrespective of the stage of an investigation, if any, is at. ○ Any other reports of bullying and harassment including dates, details, and the outcomes of any investigations, surveys or research. 	Part of the information was provided and part withheld under FOI s40.

		<p>This request relates to any of the above in relation to any and all FSA staff or contract staff delivering any service on behalf of the FSA (whether between staff or others); and/or people from outside FSA employment who have contact with FSA staff including but not limited to Food Business Operator staff.</p> <p>Additionally, please provide information regarding any threats, abuse, or violence toward FSA staff, not otherwise covered above, including the dates, details of the incident, outcomes of any investigation, and details of the action the taken by the FSA in response to these incidents.</p>	
683	04/10/12	<p>I understand that there are appx between 100-200 dairy farms which can sell Cow, goat, sheep Raw milk at the farm. But unable to find that list. Could you please provide the list as per Freedom of information Act.</p>	Part of the information was provided and part withheld under FOI s40.
682	04/10/12	<p>Re. the breakdown product from aspartame diketopiperazine (DKP):</p> <p>I understand that the Committee on Toxicity of Chemicals in Food and the Environment established a total daily intake (TDI) of DKP of 7.5mg/kg in 1992. Please may I see the scientific evidence upon which this TDI was established and the FSA evidence that it is safe for humans to consume DKP for a lifetime.</p>	Part of the information was provided and part withheld under FOI s40.
681	02/10/12	<p>Request 1: Can you please provide me with details of how much it costs your main department (based on staff time) to provide monthly details of expenditure over £25,000 as part of the Transparency Agenda. If you have opted to provide details at a lower threshold, please let me know what the threshold is and the how much it costs to provide this.</p> <p>Request 2: Approximately how many FOI requests have you received as a result of the financial information disclosed under the Transparency Agenda, since it was introduced in May 2010?</p>	All information provided
680	20/09/12	<p>Data on individual abattoirs (the number of livestock slaughtered each week and associated statistics) from across the UK ideally over as long a time period as possible. Could you please let me know where this may be obtained from and what must be done to secure access. It would also be helpful to know about what animals this includes as well as whether there is information on defect rates and so on.</p>	Part of the information was provided and part withheld under FOI s43.
679	20/09/12	<p>Copies of all correspondence between the FSA and Stratford-upon-Avon District Council between 19 March 2012 and 31 August 2012 in relation to Summers Poultry</p>	Part of the information was provided and part

		<p>Products Ltd. Also this includes any telephone communications.</p> <p>Copies of correspondence between FSA and any other third party 19 March 2012 and 31 August 2012 in relation to Summers Poultry Products Ltd. Also this includes any telephone communications.</p> <p>Request specifically excludes any correspondence or details of "without prejudice" discussions with Summers Poultry Products Ltd's own solicitors.</p>	withheld under FOI s31 and s40.
678	31/08/12	Emails to/from Andrew Rhodes regarding the FSA's animal welfare survey 2011.	All information provided
677	28/08/12	<p>We would like to request information relating to the 'component scores' associated with food hygiene inspection information held on the FHRIS/FHIS (Food Hygiene Rating Scheme/ Food Hygiene Information Scheme) database.</p> <p>For every inspection we understand the agency is holding a numeric value relating to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Confidence in Management 2. Compliance with Hygiene regulations 3. Compliance with Structural regulations <p>It would be most helpful if you could arrange to supply this information to us in electronic format, indexed by:</p> <p>Council id Premises id Date of Inspection</p>	All information provided
676	22/08/12	The cost so far to the FSA of undertaking the review of official controls delivery into food and feedstuffs that is ongoing. Please provide a "so far" date for the calculation of costs.	All information provided.
675	22/08/12	<p>Re - Report from the FSA to the First Minister for Wales on Food Law Enforcement in Wales (May 2011) and Additional Advice to the First Minister on the establishment of a national food law enforcement service for Wales.</p> <p>Please could you provide the total cost to produce the report and also the additional advice document?</p>	All information provided.
674	16/08/12	Details of incidents when the Data Protection Act has been breached, including data lost, by your employees and contractors over the past three years.	All information provided.

		<p>For clarity, our definition of the "past three years" is the period up from 1st July 2009 to 1st July 2012.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The total number of times there has been a breach of the Data Protection Act including data loss in the period, 2. The total number of employees that have been disciplined internally for breaches of Data Protection Act in the period 3. Please also provide details of each breach of the Data Protection Act, for example the type of Data that was involved and the number of people affected. 4. Details of action taken, including whether each breach was reported to the Information Commissioner's Office 	
673	14/08/12	<p>The following information.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Reports of illegal meat seizures made to you by the London borough of Hackney during 2012 (providing me with the closest figures that you have to this request, on record). 2. Reports of illegal meat seizures that you are aware of through other sources – (if relevant) from the London borough of Hackney 3. Food standards agency audit findings/reports/assessments concerning food law enforcement for Hackney that have been published or undertaken by the food agency from the start of 2012 to date. 4. Other findings/reports/assessments concerning food law enforcement for the borough of Hackney. (i.e. Not necessarily commissioned or undertaken by the food agency that have come into the agency's possession since the start of 2011 to date.) 	Part of the information was provided and part withheld under FOI s40.
672	10/08/12	<p>Please provide information relating to the procurement and usage of your products.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The total number of mobile devices currently utilised and the type of device (e.g. Mobile/Smartphone/Tablet) 2. The contract expiry date of these products. 3. The annual expenditure. <p>Please provide details from the past 12 months to present.</p>	All information provided.

671	03/08/12	Re. the investigation into product contamination at Two Sisters Food Group – Lloyd Maunder factory in Devon: a copy of the report on this matter.	Part of information provided and part withheld under FOIA s40 and s43.
670	02/08/12	Re: FSA Results of the 2011 FSA Animal Welfare Survey in Great Britain 1.Names and abattoir licence numbers of the establishments that were surveyed for the report: 253 Red Meat slaughterhouse establishments 75 Poultry establishments.	All information provided
669	01/08/12	Re. IT : 1. Who is the manufacturer of the contact centre system that you operate? 2. How many contact centre agents do you have: is it (a) <100; (b) 100-500; (c) 500-1000 or (d) >1000? 3. Who is the manufacturer of your IVR system? 4. How many ports do you have on your IVR system: is it (a) <100; (b) 100-500; (c) 500-1000 or (d) >1000? 5. Do you use Microsoft Exchange 2003 as your email server? If not, then which product do you use? 6. How many email users do you have? 7. Who is/are the manufacturer(s) of your Malware service(s)? This would include, but not be limited to: anti-virus, anti-spam, image and content control for web and email. 8. How many centres do you use to host or co-locate servers to run your business systems?	All information provided
668	30/07/12	Information about the total amount of money paid to trade unions by Food Standards Agency, the amount of staff time spent on trade union duties and / or activities and the payment of subscriptions. 1. The total amount of money paid to all trade unions for financial years a) 2010-11 and b) 2011-12. Where possible please provide a list of total payments made to each different trade union. However if this disaggregated information is not available please continue to provide a total figure for trade union payments. In response to this question, please only include direct payments to the unions from your organisation, not membership dues deducted from staff salaries. 2. Please state: 1. Which trade unions your organisation provide staff time to work on trade union duties and / or activities (sometimes called 'Trade Union facility	All information provided.

		<p>time') in i) 2010-11 and ii) 2011-12.</p> <p>2. The number of full time equivalent staff that were provided for each trade union in i) 2010-11 and ii) 2011-12.</p> <p>3. Does your organisation automatically deduct trade union subscriptions from staff salaries in the payroll process in order to pass them on to the union? If so, how much did your organisation charge each union for this service in a) 2010-11 and b) 2011-12?</p>	
667	30/07/12	<p>Supply me with the following information:</p> <p>1) cost of marketing/ advertising for the hygiene rating scheme in Northern Ireland for the year 2009/10 , 2011/12</p> <p>2) estimate of costs for staff time for above periods</p>	Some information provided
666	20/07/12	<p>Request for the FSA response to the CVO (Chief Veterinary Officer) letter on 22 May in which the FSA identified products from other member states that appeared to be MSM ('mechanically separated meat') but were not labelled as such, attaching evidence in the form of commercial documentation.</p>	Part of information provided and part withheld under FOIA s27 and s43.
665	16/07/12	<p>Request details of all positive samples for genetically modified material in food for the past two years (from June 2012) or the nearest available dates.</p> <p>Include the date the sample was tested, whether it had been distributed in retail outlets and whether a recall, or removal from sale, was required.</p> <p>Can you also advice whether this information is also available from the UK Food Surveillance System (to which local authorities contribute) or solely from the FSA's own testing regime.</p>	All information provided.
664	10/07/12	<p>A number of studies in the USA have implicated Bisphenol A (BPA) in minute quantities in obesity and diabetes re use in the food industry, suggestive of a major problem. Please provide from the last 5 years:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * information about studies known to the Agency re BPA * links to any Agency public information about the effects of BPA * titles of any papers/reports/memos submitted to or issued by the Agency re BPA, dates and titles of any memoranda or papers issued within the Agency re BPA * dates of any Agency advice/concern issued to Ministers re BPA. 	All information provided.

663	03/07/12	<p>a) To ask the Food Standards Agency for details on all corporate hospitality/gifts received by its MHS and FSA operations staff between January 2009 and April 15, 2012. and</p> <p>b) To ask the FSA on how many occasions any of its other staff received corporate hospitality or gifts from a business called Grants Veterinary Services between January 2008 and April 15, 2012. To also disclose the gifts/corporate hospitality received and the dates they were lodged.</p> <p>c) To ask the FSA on how many occasions it issued formal written warnings and received complaints over the standard of services provided by Grants Veterinary Services during the period of its most recent contract which ended in April 2012 and involving all the clusters in which it provided services.</p>	Part of information provided and part withheld under FOIA s40.
662	29/06/12	For the period April 1, 2005 - January 31, 2012, requests the following types of documents regarding mycoprotein, Quorn, or Marlow Foods: "correspondence" and "staff emails and documents.".	Part of information provided and part withheld under FOIA s35, s40 and s43.
661	27/06/12	<p>Some information for the Kepak Uk Ltd abattoir, West Yorkshire.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A copy of the permit/approval notice and any conditions • Any data on odour (odour reports etc) and any odour complaints records • Details of their process and times of delivery, processing and pick up (particularly the odorous processes). 	Part of information provided and part withheld under FOIA s40 and s43.
660	25/06/12	<p>a) A copy of the FSA's press release (original, not updated, version) of 4 April 2012 regarding Moratorium on 'desinewed meat' (DSM).</p> <p>b) The letter from the European Commission regarding DSM.</p> <p>c) A copy of the European Union's Food and Veterinary Office (FVO) mission draft report.</p>	All information provided
659	20/06/12	Re. FOI request (658 below - non compliant meat): the identity of the organisation or individual making the enquiry.	Part of information provided and part withheld under s40.
658	12/06/12	Please provide all documentation relating to meat / carcasses exported from Great Britain or imported in to Great Britain from EU member states or third countries	Part of information provided and part

		<p>where non compliance/defects were discovered, along with the country of origin of any such meat or carcasses.</p> <p>Please also provide all documentation relating to non compliant meat and carcasses that have been produced in the UK/GB and delivered to GB cutting plants, slaughterhouses, meat wholesale depots and meat markets.</p> <p>[Include investigation reports and consider non-compliance documentation to mean that associated with carcasses or meat contaminated with faeces or other intestinal tract contents, carcasses containing nervous tissues associated with Transmissible Spongiform Encephalopathies (TSEs) and any pathology that would render the carcasses or areas of carcasses or meat unfit for human consumption.]</p> <p>This request specifically refers to the following documentation, Importation Non-Compliance Forms (IMP 8/1)2, Inter-Approved Premises Non-Compliance Forms (ENF 11/22)3 and Export Breach correspondence between the 1st january2009 up to and including the 6th January 2012, please include any investigation reports related to breaches identified in the aforementioned documents.</p>	withheld under FOIA s31, s38, and s40.
657	11/06/12	<p>Re. the redaction of Chemical Hazard Identification and Risk Surveillance (CHaIRS) group minutes:</p> <p>Can you confirm that it is The Chairman of the CHaIRS group who decides on the redaction, a consensus view amongst all members or a veto is in place for one member to ask for redaction? If the latter is the case will that member and their reason for asking for redaction be minuted?</p> <p>In terms of how the information appears on the FSA website under CHaIRS minutes, will the minutes ONLY be published when ALL information within the minutes has been deemed to be concluded, which could prolong their publication considerably?</p> <p>If minutes not including redacted material are published, will redaction be highlighted by blanking out the relevant sections deemed to be subject to potential future prosecutions, and this stated clearly in the minutes, or will these matters simply not be published and therefore not seen on the published minutes on the website?</p> <p>When investigations have been deemed to be concluded, will the redacted minutes, either blanked out or not including the sections omitted be revisited to</p>	All information provided.

		<p>update the original redacted material, or will the issues be minuted only in the minutes after they have deemed to have been concluded?</p>	
656	07/06/12	<p>Recorded incidents of bullying and harassment at abattoirs and meat processing premises:</p> <p>To reveal the number of incidents as recorded by month between the dates specified in the previous disclosure. I would point out that is the number of incidents recorded monthly in total, not by plant.</p> <p>To ask it to provide similar details to those already disclosed by incident, plant name and issue for the period not covered by the previous FOI request, ie from August 2011 until close of business on April 5, 2012.</p> <p>To reveal whether it was made aware in response to any of the incidents reported between 2009 and August 2011 of formal disciplinary proceedings being taken against the employees by the food business operators concern. If so, to state the number of occasions it was informed and the number of occasions where it was told employees at those businesses had been dismissed.</p> <p>To ask the FSA on how many occasions over the same 2009-2011 period as used for meat businesses it recorded incidents of its staff/ contractors being bullied and or harassed at premises/businesses other than meat businesses.</p> <p>To reveal those figures by number, by type of incident and by name of business, or if that cannot be provided the total number of incidents recorded.</p> <p>To ask what action was taken against those premises/businesses and whether reports of such incidents have ever been presented to its board and if not, why not.</p> <p>The FSA has also recently released a list of meat plants giving cause for concern.</p> <p>To ask the FSA on how many occasions during the time those businesses were designated as giving cause the meat processed at those businesses was either officially condemned or prevented from entering the food chain, either in total or by number of incidents per plant. if there were incidents where meat was condemned or prevented from entering the food chain, the type of meat involved and the reason for condemnation or rejection.</p>	<p>Part of information provided and part withheld under FOIA s40.</p>

		To ask the FSA whether the FoI requests for the lists that were published for bullying and harassment and cause for concern meat plants were submitted by its own staff.	
655	30/05/12	A copy of the letter from the FSA to the European Commission of 1 May 2012 regarding DSM ('de-sinewed meat').	Part of information provided and part withheld under FOIA s43 and S27.
654	29/05/12	<p>1 - What evidence, from the FSA's knowledge, do you have of "radium" being found on the beach?</p> <p>2 - What background readings of radiation has the FSA made at this beach and at others nearby, as a control, and have you found the radiation level higher at Dalgety Bay?</p> <p>3 - Does the FSA accepts the Scottish Environment Protection Agency's (SEPA's) evidence that the radiation at Dalgety Bay is "less than 2/3rds background in Aberdeen" and that this also makes it as low as 1% of the radiation level in various places around the world from which the FSA does not ban imports?</p> <p>4 - Does the FSA dispute evidence that the maximum theoretical level of radium from these dials, had all of it been deposited on the beach and none of it washed or blown away over the last 60 years, would not exceed 25% of naturally occurring radium there or 1/35,000,000,000th of the total naturally occurring background radioactives there?</p> <p>5 - If the answers are as I suggest then it is obviously impossible to honestly claim there is a real radiation threat to food there, let alone one which, if the rules are applied honestly, would not involve closing down all fishing from Aberdeenshire and points north let alone prohibiting any food imports from much of the world. If that is not currently being done the only possible reason for doing this is to deliberately promote a fraudulent scare story. Is there another credible option?</p> <p>6 - If the answer to 5 is no is there any specific ruling applying to Dalgety Bay but not the rest of the country that prevents this action from representing the very highest standard of honesty the FSA Scotland aspire to or that would make any ruling on any food matter by you infinitely more trustworthy than this.</p>	All information provided.

653	21/05/12	<p>On the additive Aspartame or as it is also known E951: Provide any information you hold on this additive including; past and present research studies that have been carried out. Also if any are to be carried out in the future.</p> <p>What safeguards and safety precautions were taken, if any when approving the additive in the UK, also who was responsible for approving this additive.</p> <p>Also provide all information held by you on fluoride being added to our water supply and what implications this will have on the public's well being and health, both positive and negative effects.</p>	All information provided
652	17/05/12	<p>Please provide copies of all written exchanges including, reports, emails or letters, concerning Willows Power and Recycling Centre. In relation to Planning Application reference C/2/2011/2020 and the Environment Agency Permitting Consultation Permit Number EPR/PP3633FJ/A001 between:-</p> <p>A) The Food Standards Agency and Norfolk County Council B) The Food Standards Agency and NHS Norfolk C) The Food Standards Agency and the Environment Agency</p>	All information provided
651	15/05/12	<p>Re. the bullying and harassment request (656 above). Can you please let me have the full text of the request and the name of the party making it.</p>	All information provided
650	04/05/12	<p>Is it correct that under the new contracts there has been a change in the way that FSA pays contract holders if one of their employees becomes pregnant? We believe that the terms of the last contract meant that the holder of the contract was reimbursed by FSA for members of staff who could not provide a service to FSA due to the exclusion requirement on Health & Safety grounds for pregnant staff.</p> <p>Can you outline the expectations the FSA have of contract holders on how they will deal with their pregnant employees, will it be the same as the FSA, which is to be excluded from meat premises and found other suitable work where available? FSA staff who are excluded do not suffer any financial detriment and are still paid their wages, will this provision be in place for excluded contractor staff who are pregnant?</p>	All information provided.
649	04/05/12	<p>Please provide me with an copy in electronic format, of the contract agreed between the FSA and: a) Eville and Jones and</p>	Part of information provided and part

		b) Hall Mark Meat Hygiene, for the provision of services (including official veterinarian services) commencing April 2012.	withheld under FOIA s40 and s43.
648	03/05/12	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What are the annual number of Subject Access Requests (SARs) (for personal information) you process for the last three financial years (2009/10, 2010/11, 2011/12)? 2. What are the annual totals (number of SARs) processed that were responded to beyond the 40 calendar day deadline? 3. In the last financial year (2011/12), what is the average number of days you have taken to prepare your response to an SAR (within the 40 calendar day deadline)? 4. In the last financial year (2011/12), what is the average number of days you have taken to complete the SAR response cycle e.g. from receipt of first SAR to conclusion of the enquiry? 5. In the last financial year (2011/12), what was the duration of the longest response to a single SAR (within the 40 calendar day deadline)? 6. In the last financial year (2011/12), what was the duration of the longest completion time for a single SAR e.g. from receipt of first SAR to conclusion of the enquiry? 7. What is the total number of current SARs you are processing? 8. Of the total number currently being processed, what is the number that is outside the 40 calendar day deadline? 9. How many full-time equivalent staff are processing SAR requests? 10. What is the nature of the requests? 	All information provided.
647	27/04/12	<p>Bisphenol A: The Plastic Materials and Articles in Contact with Food (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2011</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What information does the FSA hold on the impact assessment? 	Part of the information provided and part withheld under FOIA sections 21& 22.

		<p>2. What changes are going to be made to the impact assessment prior to the implementation of the regulation?</p> <p>3. Are the recommendations that the Regulatory Policy Committee has proposed for the impact assessment going to be applied?</p> <p>4. Are there any plans to implement the regulation?</p> <p>Please provide the final impact assessment the mentioned regulation</p>	
646	27/04/12	<p>1. Copies of all correspondence between the FSA and Stratford upon Avon District Council between the 31st of October 2011 and 19th of March 2012 in relation to Summer Poultry Products Ltd. Also include details of any telephone communications.</p> <p>2. Copies of all correspondence between the FSA and any third parties between the 31st of October 2011 and 19th of March 2012 in relation to Summer Poultry Products Ltd. Also include details of any telephone communications.</p>	Part of the information provided and part withheld under sections 31 & 40.
645	25/04/12	<p>A. The Plastic Kitchenware (Conditions on Imports from China) (England) Regulations 2011</p> <p>B. A new approach to charges for official controls on meat : delivering efficiency and reform</p> <p>1. Please state whether the Government currently plans to implement any of these regulations?</p> <p>2. a) If yes, are changes going to be made to these impact assessments prior to the implementation of the regulations? b) If no decision has yet been taken, are changes going to be made to these impact assessments?</p> <p>3. Are all the recommendations that the Regulatory Policy Committee has proposed going to be applied to these impact assessments? If not, how many will be?</p> <p>4. Please provide the final impact assessment for both regulations</p>	Part of the information provided, part withheld under section 22.
644	25/04/12	Please send me a copy of all the Regulatory Policy Committee (RPC) opinions issued to all Departments in 2011 where the RPC are grading an impact assessment using the traffic light system where the regulation/policy	Part of the information provided and part withheld under sections, 21, 22

		is already in the public domain	and 35.
643	23/04/12	Please provide me with all correspondence you hold that relates to issue of the FSA not giving approval for a specific FBO to export to China. This should include letters or emails sent to you from the FBO or any other third party as well as letters/email that you have sent out on the issue. Please limit the search to everything dated after 1.6.11.	Part of the information provided and part withheld under sections, 31, 40 and 43.
642	20/04/12	<p>1. How much money have you spent overall on communications and marketing (including public relations, advertising and all other disciplines) in the following years: 2011-2012 (including projected expenditure to the end of the fiscal year), 2010-2011, 2009-2010, 2008-2009, 2007-2008?</p> <p>2. How much money has been projected to be spent overall on communications and marketing (including public relations, advertising and all other disciplines) in 2012-2013?</p> <p>3. How much money have you spent, specifically, on public relations (both in-house and external support) in each of the following years: 2011-2012 (including projected expenditure to the end of the fiscal year), 2010-2011, 2009-2010, 2008-2009, 2007-2008?</p> <p>4. How much money has been projected to be spent, specifically, on public relations (both in-house and external support) in 2012-2013?</p> <p>5. How much money have you spent, specifically, on advertising (both in-house and external support) in each of the following years: 2011-2012 (including projected expenditure to the end of the fiscal year), 2010-2011, 2009-2010, 2008-2009, 2007-2008?</p> <p>6. How much money has been projected to be spent, specifically, on advertising (both in-house and external support) in 2012-2013?</p> <p>7. How much money have you spent, specifically, on external public relations support in each of the following years: 2011-2012 (including projected expenditure to the end of the fiscal year), 2010-2011, 2009-2010, 2008-2009, 2007-2008?</p> <p>8. How much money has been projected to be spent, specifically, on external public relations support in 2012-2013?</p>	All information provided.

		<p>9. Which public relations agencies, specifically, have you employed or held on a roster in the following years: 2011-2012 (including projected agency use to the end of the fiscal year), 2010-2011, 2009-2010, 2008-2009, 2007-2008?</p> <p>10. Which public relations agencies, specifically, do you plan to employ or hold on a roster in 2012-2013?</p> <p>11. How many staff do you currently retain in your in-house communications department?</p> <p>12. How many staff did you retain in your in-house communications department in each of the following years: 2010-2011, 2009-2010, 2008-2009, 2007-2008?</p> <p>13. How many staff do you plan to retain in your in-house communications department by the end of the 2012-2013 fiscal year?</p> <p>14. Please could you provide organograms of your senior communications personnel for each of the following years: 2011-2012, 2010-2011, 2009-2010, 2008-2009, 2007-2008?</p> <p>15. How much money did you spend on your most expensive public relations campaign of the last five years, and what was the campaign?</p> <p>16. What is the name, job title, and yearly remuneration of your most senior public relations or communications official?</p>	
641	13/04/12	When are we to learn what FSA investigation is or has been made into recent activities (since 19th January 2012) at Cank Farm, and what is the outcome?	All information provided.
640	12/04/12	<p>I would like to receive the Final Impact Assessment for the following regulation:</p> <p>1. Proposals to amend the frequency of certain official control inspections for on-farm dairy hygiene in England and Wales</p>	All information provided.
639	11/04/12	<p>I am seeking clarification on whether the CHaIRS group, to which the FSA provided secretarial support as a member, met on October 16th 2011, the minutes of which have yet to be published on the FSA website.</p> <p>On 30th September last, John Caseley of the FSA stated in an email following a request for minutes of CHaIRS meetings that "it is intended that all future</p>	All information provided.

		agendas and minutes of meetings re-CHAIRS will be placed on the website" Can you clarify if the minutes of this and other subsequent meetings have been finalised and when these will be placed on the website?	
638	05/04/12	<p>1) All food standards agency audit findings about food law enforcement for Hackney between 2008 and 2012. Please make sure that this includes any correspondence or e mails that are on record – concerning this. If necessary, please ensure that names are redacted as is always the case when information like this is provided.</p> <p>2) Provide me with the numbers of seizures of illegal meat were reported to you in the following calendar years from the London borough of Hackney a) 2005 b) 2006 c) 2007 d) 2008 e) 2009 f) 2010 g) 2011 (Please bear in mind that if you do not hold the information in terms of illegal meat, please provide me with the figures that you have on record e.g. Seizures of all food, or by category. Please provide me with any assistance and guidance, if necessary, if this figure request needs to be reformulated).</p>	Part provided and part withheld under FOIA s21 & s40.
637	04/04/12	<p>Please confirm whether it is the FSA's view that both Selfridges and the producing farmer are acting unlawfully in allowing the continuing sale of raw cows' milk.</p> <p>Provide us with copies of your correspondence with Selfridges and the producing farmer in this matter. This obviously includes not only your letters to them but any replies received.</p> <p>Please also confirm what guidance, criteria or similar are used by the Animal Health and Veterinary Laboratories Agency (AHVLA) / FSA in deciding whether to take formal enforcement action. Please provide us with a copy of this documentation.</p>	Part provided and part withheld under FOIA s30.
636	02/04/12	<p>All information regarding the following regarding compliance/lack thereof with regards to food law:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The number of checks made on food supplements for label compliance (health claims, medicinal claims and technical compliance) entering UK ports? 2. The number of checks made on food supplements for ingredient compliance (novel foods law, medicinal ingredients, banned substances) entering UK ports? 3. The number of foods/beverages for label 	All information provided.

		<p>compliance (health claims, medicinal claims and technical compliance) entering UK ports?</p> <p>4. The number of checks made on foods/beverage for ingredient compliance (novel foods law, medicinal ingredients, banned substances) entering UK ports?</p>	
635	30/03/12	<p>Please send me the following information with regards to the organisation's Mobile Phone and PBX/VOIP maintenance contracts.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Existing Supplier(s) - If there is more than one supplier please split the contract up 2. Total contract value- If there isn't a total contract value please can you provide me with the latest annual spend on mobile phone. 3. Number of Users- Number of connections with network provider 4. Duration of the contract- please state if the contract also include contract extensions 5. Contract Start Date- please provide me with the month and year and day if possible 6. Contract Expiry Date- please provide me with the month and year and day if possible 7. Contract Review Date- please provide me with the month and year and day if possible 8. The person within the organisation responsible for this particular contract. Can you send me the full contact details Contact Name, Job Title, Contact Number and direct email address. <p>Please can you also send me the organisation's ICT contract relating PBX and VOIP maintenance (explained below):</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Existing/Current Supplier: 2. Total Contract Value: (For the whole duration of the contract, if the total value sent is per annum please state this in the response) 3. Duration: (Please can you also include notes if the contract includes any contract extension periods.) 	All information provided.

		<p>4. Contract Expiry Date: Please can you provide me with the month and year and day if possible</p> <p>5. Contract Review Date: (An approximate date of when the organisation is planning to review this particular contract.)</p> <p>6. Hardware Brand:</p> <p>7. The person from within the organisation that is responsible for reviewing and renewing this particular contract. Please include there full name, job title, direct contact number and direct email address.</p>	
634	30/03/12	<p>Please can you provide me with the following information under the Freedom of Information Act:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The organisation's IT Strategy for the current and any future years. 2. A high level breakdown of the IT budget for the current year and any future years 3. A structure chart showing the whole IT department showing all staff job titles and FTE numbers with names for senior staff. 	All information provided.
633	29/03/12	<p>Please provide the following statistics relating to reported incidents of bullying and harassment, acts of intimidation, obstruction and / or acts of violence perpetrated against employees of the Food Standards Agency, their contractors or the former Meat Hygiene Service by food business operators, their employees or their representatives.</p> <p>Please also include any acts of malicious damage to the property of any person working for or on behalf of the Food Standards Agency or the Former meat Hygiene Service.</p> <p>For any of the above acts that are included in your response please also provide the name and approval number of the food business operator and any trade or industry body they are members of, belong to or are represented by.</p> <p>Please provide details of all incidents between the 31st of August 2009 and the 31st August 2011.</p>	Part provided and part withheld under FOIA s40.
632	27/03/12	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Job evaluation of the current Lead Veterinarian role (created in 2008) • Role analysis • JEGS job profile 	Part provided and part withheld under FOIA s40.

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • JEGS questionnaire utilised in the process • JEGS good practice guide • MHS grading guidance • Position of the members of the panel/steering/working group that assessed the LV role 	
631	20/03/12	<p>Provide details in respect of the following framework agreements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • suppliers who applied for inclusion on each framework below and were successful & not successful at the PQQ & ITT stages.* • Contract values of each framework (& any sub lots), year to date • Start date & duration of framework • Is there an extension clause in the framework(s)/contract(s) and, if so, the duration of the extension? • Has a decision been made yet on whether the framework(s)/contract(s) are being either extended or renewed? <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Framework Agreement Contract UK-York: research and development services and related consultancy services Date of Contract Date Published: 02 July 2011 - ID:207641 2. Framework Agreement Contract UK-London: IT managed service Date of Contract Date Published: 15 June 2011 - ID:187466 3. Framework Agreement Contract UK-London: IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support Date of Contract Date Published: 12 April 2011 - ID:116335 4. Framework Agreement Contract UK-London: social research services Date of Contract Date Published: 05 August 2010 - ID:231627 5. Framework Agreement Contract UK-London: framework agreement for the provision of omnibus survey services Date of Contract Date Published: 07 April 2010 - ID:101126 	All information provided.
630	16/03/12	Do restaurants and take-aways have to register if they are using monosodium glutamate in their food? If so is there a document which includes which establishments use it.	All information provided.
629	09/03/12	<p>Details of the use of powers of entry by your authority under any of the relevant Acts or items of secondary legislation during the period 2008 – 2011, excluding Trading Standards investigations. I wish to obtain details of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • how many times such powers were used in the 	All information provided.

		<p>past three years,</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the legislation they were requested under, • the criminal offence or allegation being investigated • the outcome of their use, if any. 	
628	07/03/12	<p>1. Given that the FSA is responsible for providing the general public with food safety advice during an outbreak of an exotic disease, and given there was much consternation during FMD2001 that such advice from the FSA was lacking - what recent public adverts have been placed in the UK national newspapers in relation to the safety of eating/drinking milk from cattle that have been vaccinated against FMD?</p> <p>2. Has the FSA ever advertised, in the UK press, the fact there is no health risks eating vaccinated meat?</p> <p>3. What 'papers' has the FSA produced and placed in the public domain relating to FMD and the safety of food thereof?</p>	All information provided.
627	23/02/12	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How many schools, colleges, nurseries and playgroups in England and Wales have a Food Hygiene Rating of '0'? • How many schools, colleges, nurseries and playgroups in England and Wales have a Food Hygiene Rating of '1'? • How many schools, colleges, nurseries and playgroups in England and Wales have a Food Hygiene Rating of '2'? • Can you please list the names of the schools, colleges, nurseries and playgroups with a Food Hygiene Rating of '0' and their relevant local authority? <p>If possible (within the terms of cost according to the Freedom of Information Act):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Can you please list the names of the schools, colleges, nurseries and playgroups with a Food Hygiene Rating of '1' and their relevant local authority? • Can you please list the names of the schools, colleges, nurseries and playgroups with a Food Hygiene Rating of '2' and their relevant local authority? 	All information provided.

626	22/02/12	<p>Three of the companies on the list for concern are in Scotland: John Scott Meats, Basildene and Alishia Foods.</p> <p>Please provide me with the audit reports for each of these three companies. By this, I mean the audit reports that formed the basis of these companies being placed on the “cause for concern” list.</p>	Part of information provided and part withheld under FOIA s30, s38, s40 and s43.
625	20/02/12	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Please supply copies of all reports/tests carried out on Ammonium Hydroxide or E527 held by the Food Standards Agency; * Please disclose the number of products/foods containing Ammonium Hydroxide or E527 known about by the Food Standards Agency; * Please list the products/foods containing Ammonium Hydroxide or E527 known about by the Food Standards Agency; * Please supply copy of the Food Standard Agency's requirements in relation to using Ammonium Hydroxide or E527 in foods. 	All information provided.
624		<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Total numbers of food hygiene inspections conducted by UK food inspectors, for each of the years 1997/98 - 2010/11, inclusive, for the UK, as well as separate figures for each of the Local Authorities of Knowsley, Liverpool, Sefton, St Helens, Wirral. 2. Total numbers of food standards inspections conducted by UK food inspectors, for each of the years 1997/98 - 2010/11, inclusive, for the UK, as well as separate figures for each of the Local Authorities of Knowsley, Liverpool, Sefton, St Helens, Wirral. 3. Total numbers of all types of formal enforcement actions resorted to by UK food inspectors, by type, for each of the years 1997/98 - 2010/11, inclusive, for the UK, as well as separate figures for each of the Local Authorities of Knowsley, Liverpool, Sefton, St Helens, Wirral. 4. Total numbers of establishments subject to ‘Food’ (ie Food Hygiene and Food Standards) prosecutions 1997/98 - 2010/11, for the UK, as well as separate figures for each of the Local Authorities of Knowsley, Liverpool, Sefton, St Helens, Wirral. 5. Total numbers of ‘Food’ (ie Food Hygiene and Food Standards) convictions (ie successful prosecutions) 1997/98 - 2010/11, for the UK, as well as separate figures for each of the Local Authorities of Knowsley, Liverpool, Sefton, St Helens, Wirral. 	All information provided.

623	16/02/12	<p>I would like to request the following breakdown of the Committee's hardware maintenance and costs:</p> <p>A list of the models of the physical servers, storage devices, tape libraries, network and routers under support contracts; as well as the cost and duration of said contracts, with start and end dates and service level associated with the equipment. Could you also supply the names of the suppliers of aforementioned support services?</p> <p>I would also request the name of the person/s in your organisation responsible for the maintenance support contracts.</p>	Part provided and part withheld under FOIA s43.
622	14/02/12	<p>I would like to make a request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 for any information held on internal Coaching and Mentoring Skills development / training.</p> <p>I anticipate this would include but not limited to trainers notes, PowerPoint presentations with notes, workbooks, handouts and intranet resources including e-learning.</p>	Part provided and part withheld under FOIA s40.
621	06/02/12	<p>1) In the last five years how many restaurants and caterers in the 32 London Boroughs were subject to either an emergency prohibition notice/order or a voluntary closure as a result of failing to meet the required standards for food safety? Please could you provide a breakdown for each borough.</p> <p>2) Of those establishments that closed, how many were discovered to have rat or other vermin?</p> <p>3) Of those establishments that closed, how many were responsible for reported cases of food poisoning?</p>	All information provided.
620	23/01/12	<p>Re. the Welfare of Animals (Slaughter & Killing Regulations) (as amended) 1995:</p> <p>Please could you provide contact details for the section that ensures that the exemption granted by schedule 12 for ritual slaughter without stunning is followed and that meat produced this way is for the food of Muslims and Jews only as stated in section 2 of schedule 12.</p>	All information provided.
619	18/01/12	<p>You say that your survey in September did not show any significant reduction in stunning which leads me to enquire which previous survey and on what date you are comparing with? In the spirit of openness and transparency could you give details of what this survey and previous surveys found both on a plant and national throughput basis?</p>	Part provided and part withheld under FOIA s22.

618	13/01/12	Have you (FSA) been monitoring CCTV footage from Cheale Meats since Animal Aid's undercover footage was made public, and if so, how many times?	All information provided.
617	10/01/12	<p>Please can you confirm whether there has been any form of communication or correspondence between Craig Kirby of the FSA and any third party in relation to Summers Poultry Products Ltd between 1st of January 2010 to 15th December 2011?</p> <p>If communication or correspondence has taken place, please provide the corresponding details or copies of all communications?</p> <p>Also requested: copies of all correspondence between the FSA and the British Retail Consortium (BRC) from 1 October 2011 to 15 December 2011 in relation to Summers Poultry Products Ltd.</p>	Part provided and part withheld under FOIA s31.
616	05/01/12	<p>How much money does the FSA spend every year on Vacher's Quarterly?</p> <p>Does it go out to tender for its supply of political parliamentary directories.</p>	All information provided.