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By email

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Freedom of Information Act - Request For Information

Reference: FOI 51042016

Dear 

Thank you for your request for information. I write to confirm that the information you have requested is not held by Ofwat.

With regard to your specific questions:

1. What preparatory work has your Department (including arms-length bodies) undertaken in order to understand how its' remit and operations could be affected if the UK voted to leave the EU?
None
2. Please could you confirm whether your Department (including arms-length bodies) has delayed any decisions on policy matters, major projects or procurements until after the results of the EU referendum? If yes, please say which.
No
3. If the UK voted to leave the EU, please indicate whether your Department (including arms-length bodies) would be likely to experience any of the following over the next 2 -3 years as a direct or indirect result:
 - I. A change in the remit or duties of your organisation
 - II. Major projects or procurements subject to uncertainty, cancellation or delayed decision-making
 - III. Need to help client group(s) understand the implications of EU exit for them
 - IV. Need for increased budget to deal with additional workload related to EU renegotiation and exit

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4. Need for extra staff to deal with additional workload related to EU renegotiation and exit
5. Need to change IT systems or implement new ones
6. Need to review suppliers or supplier contracts

No

As a Government body we will be guided by official Government guidance as instructed, however at this time we do not hold any information specific.

If you have any queries or concerns with regard to the content of this email please do contact me, quoting the reference number.

If you are unhappy with the service you have received in relation to your request and wish to make a complaint or request a review of the decision, please contact:

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If you are not happy with the outcome of that review you can ask the Information Commissioner's Office to consider your complaint. Generally, the ICO will not make a decision unless you have exhausted Ofwat's complaints procedure. The ICO can be contacted at:

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or

The Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
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Yours sincerely,

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