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**From:** FOI  
**Sent:** 23 December 2020 09:24  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** FOI 146-20 - Response

Dear [REDACTED],

**Our Ref: FOI-146-20**

Thank you for your email to the Electoral Commission dated 26 November 2020.

The Commission aims to respond to requests for information promptly and has done so within the statutory timeframe of twenty working days.

Your request is shown below followed by our response.

*Could I please request to receive copies of any communication/meeting notes (anything related to this subject) between anyone from the Electoral Commission and the current Government, in regards to the scaling/closing down of the Electoral Commission?*

*Per FOI rights this would include information held on computers, in emails and in printed or handwritten documents as well as images, video and audio recordings.*

You have clarified that you are interested in current developments around the Committee for Standards in Public Life (CSPL) review and the Public Administration and Constitutional Affairs Committee (PACAC) review.

**Our response is as follows:**

We do not hold the information you have requested.

We have no record of any discussions with the government on this subject.

If you are not satisfied with this response, please note that the Commission operates a review procedure, details of which can be found on the Commission website at:  
<https://www.electoralcommission.org.uk/freedom-information/make-a-freedom-information-request>.

Please also note that if you have exhausted all internal Commission review procedures and you are still not satisfied you have the right to appeal to the Information Commissioner. Details of this procedure can be found on the ICO website: <https://ico.org.uk/>.

Yours sincerely

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