From: FOI
To: [redacted]
Subject: RE: FOI 035/18 MP Cost and Expenses - Request for an update
Date: 16 July 2018 10:17:24

Dear [redacted],

Our Ref: FOI 035/18

Thank you for your email to the Electoral Commission dated **28 February 2018**.

The Commission aims to respond to requests for information promptly and regrets that on this occasion we have not done so.

Your request is in bold below followed by our response.

Please provide to me, by email, any correspondence in the period 2010 to present with the following MPs and/or their offices to the Electoral Commission, as regards MP expenditure which may pertain to Clause 3.5 of MPs Scheme of Business Costs and Expenses 2017/2018 found at: https://www.theipsa.org.uk/media/1608/9-mps-scheme-of-business-costs-and-expenses-2017-18.pdf

The document expressly refers to the Electoral Commission on page 11.

The MPs are:
- **Chris Heaton-Harris**
- **Steve Baker**
- **Suella Fernandes**
- **Jacob Rees-Mogg**

Please confirm the existence of this information. Please provide the information to me.

Our response is as follows:

We do not hold the information you have requested. We have no record of any correspondence that is within the scope of your request.

I trust that this information satisfies your request. The Commission strives to be an open, transparent authority.

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: http://www.electoralcommission.org.uk/about-us/freedom-of-information-requests/how-do-I-make-an-foi-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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