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Sent via email: [redacted]

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Dear [redacted],

Internal review of FOI request FOI 034-21

Thank you for your email to FOI@electoralcommssion.org.uk of 15 April 2021 seeking an internal review of your request for information, reference number FOI 034-21.

In seeking an internal review you made the following comments:

Please have identifiable female or transgender female contact only. I note the Commissions response yet it is unclear what searches if any the commission has carried out. Please therefore carry out a review to verify the response given and detail what searches were carried out. During review, please search for such complaints as detailed in the original foirs in regards any offices in England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland.

Outcome of your internal review:

I have undertaken your request for internal review, in doing so I have reviewed the communications and searches that were conducted as part of the response to your request (FOI 034-21). Searches were carried out on information held on our internal systems which cover all of our working locations.

After completing this review I am satisfied that we do not hold any information relating to your original request and therefore that our response was in order.

I have completed this review because I am a member of the Electoral Commission's management team and I was not previously involved in the original response to your request.

If you remain dissatisfied with our response, you can appeal to the Information Commissioner at: The ICO, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF. For further details about the appeal procedure please visit www.ico.org.uk.

Yours sincerely

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