

House of Commons: 2005 Freedom of Information Request Log

No.	Subject	Response	Response date
1	MPs expenses	Refusal letter (hardcopy) rejecting request for information, sent from DFA.	31/01/2005
2	Additional costs allowance claimed by a Member	Refusal letter (hardcopy) rejecting request for information, sent from DFA. Also, letter sent to MP informing of request and decision.	31/01/2005
3	MPs staff names and salaries.	Refusal letter (email) rejecting request for information, from DFA.	31/01/2005
4	Additional costs allowances claimed by named MP	Refusal letter (hardcopy) rejecting request for information, sent from DFA. Also, letter sent to MP informing of request and decision.	31/01/2005
5	Recruitment, selection and training.	Information provided on recruitment where held. Provision of statistical data would exceed appropriate limit.	19/01/2005
6	Training course, 'Helping you to get that job.'	Information provided in full.	19/01/2005
7	a named MP, expenses, travel allowances & additional costs.	Refusal letter (hardcopy) rejecting request for information, sent from DFA. Also, letter sent to MP informing of request and decision.	31/01/2005
8	Expenses claimed by a named MP.	Refusal letter rejecting request for information, sent from DFA.	09/02/2005
9	Security Incident	Statistical data provided.	01/02/2005
10	Resignation of staff from the Office of the Speaker of the House Of Commons since May 2001.	Refusal letter rejecting request for information, sent from DFA.	31/01/2005
11	Salary and expenses for a named MP and if his wife is in receipt of any payment through his allowances.	Refusal letter (hardcopy) rejecting request for information, sent from DFA. Also, letter sent to MP informing of request and decision.	31/01/2005
12	Register of Members' Interests - What is declared in Individual members of Parliament's Declarations of Interest received from pharmaceutical companies.	HCIO answered. Replied via email and publications link provided.	11/01/2005.
13	Correspondence or evidence provided by tobacco companies, Imperial Tobacco and Gallaher to the committee during the hearings on tobacco smuggling.	Letter emailed, request for info in so far as it relates to Imperial Tobacco is refused as it's exempt under s34 (Parliamentary Privilege)	31/01/2005
14	Whether (2 names) are employed by a named MP and paid out of Parliamentary funds.	Refusal letter (hardcopy) rejecting request for information, sent from DFA. Also, letter sent to MPs informing of request and decision.	31/01/2005
15	European Scrutiny File from 1981-1982. File relating to the European Act on Economic Integration.	Emailed that the request is in part, refused because some of the information in the file relates to the proceedings of the Committee and so is exempt from disclosure under section 34 (parliamentary privilege) of the FOI Act. Some info in the file is in the form of Draft Reports which the Enquirer was told she can look at by contacting the Record Office.	31/01/2005
16	Travel allowance for a named MP in the year in which they were announced as totaling just under £40, 000.	Refusal letter (email) rejecting request for information, sent from DFA. Also, letter sent to MP informing of request and decision.	31/01/2005

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17	MPs Staff Names, Staffing Allowances & Employment Dates	Refusal letter (letter) rejecting request for information, sent from DFA.	31/01/2005
18	a named MP expenses, MPs Staff Allowances & Employment of Relatives.	Refusal letter (hardcopy) rejecting request for information, sent from DFA.	
19	Employment agreements	Information provided in full.	17/01/2005
20	Computer systems & information security	Following public interest test conclude that this information is exempt under FOI Act. Emailed response to 5 questions. In some cases the information could not be provided as confidential. In ref to question 4 - a further response is to be provided by 11th March once the HOC has conducted a Formal Public Interest Test in relation to the info requested.	10/03/2005
21	ICT department at the Houses of Parliament including telephony, data networks, finance and strategy.	Email sent with answers to the Enquirers questions. Some points not answered as no info or because questions ask for subjective opinion as opposed to info.	04/02/2005
22	a named MP Allowances & Expenses	Information refused. Letter outlines that disclosure of information additional to that in the publication scheme would not be consistent with the data protection principles.	11/02/2005
23	Transport and Industry Select Committee - Information requested references BP oil company and BAKU-TBILISI-Ceyhan (BTC) pipeline.	Letter sent from Clerk of the Committee consist of papers from the Trade and Industry Committee.	10/02/2005
24	Costs of Sergeant at Arms ceremonial dress for years 2002, 2003, 2004	After the reply, Enquirer said he is not satisfied, wants figures broken down by individuals (02/02/2005) - this has been inputted as a new request. Reply - A letter sent from HCIO. In summary, it states that the HOC does not hold info for single individuals - the figures relate to the uniform costs for all Sergeants and Doorkeepers (approx. 40 members of staff). Info provided for each year 2002/3/4.	26/01/2005
25	Profit and Loss accounts for the bars in the HOC.	Letter states a detailed P&L account is not kept specifically for the bars, but RD maintains management accounts - some trading figures for bars provided.	09/02/2005
26	Maintenance and repair accounts for the debating chamber in the HCIO - This should entail all bills for 2002, 2003, 2004.	SAA sent info in letter on 31/01/2005 along with the lost property info requested (No. 28)	31/01/2005
27	Unclaimed items handed into the HOC lost property office in the last 12 months.	SAA sent info in letter on 31/01/2005 along with the cost of maintenance of the Chamber info requested.	31/01/2005
28	Class of information available on MPs expenses.	Email was sent via FOICommons providing the web-links to the publication scheme and MP Pay & Allowances.	20/01/2005

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29	a named MP possible usage of Parliamentary funds to pay for the annual report 2003/04 to constituents.	Letter of refusal - Letter outlines that disclosure of information additional to that in the publication scheme would not be consistent with the data protection principles.	23/02/2005
30	Home Affairs Committee 4th report 1999-2000.	Letter stating the request for access to closed files HC/CP/16491/1 and HC/CP/16491/3 to 10 was with two exceptions, refused. The information is exempt under s34 (parliamentary privilege) of the FOI Act 2000. Furthermore, there is no duty to either confirm or deny whether the information requested is held by the HOC.	09/02/2005
31	Politicians pension scheme.	Pension section responded directly to the Enquirer - By answering each of the 5 questions asked.	11/02/2005
32	Code of Conduct for MPs - Conduct in Chamber or Committee.	Email to Enquirer directed to the parliamentary website and some information on where to get specifics.	03/02/2005
33	Iraqi civilian casualties	Sent letter with information - a copy of the HOC Standard Notice entitled 'Iraq Civilians and Military Casualty Estimates'. Also website links including Hansard and suggested to contact the Foreign and Commonwealth Office.	01/02/2005
34	Bars & catering facilities and prices.	Letter sent . Informed Enquirer that information about the bars and catering facilities operated by the HOC Refreshment Department is in fact sheet (G19) available on our website and other info in letter.	04/02/2005
35	MPs pension scheme	Pension section wrote a reply answering the questions in same order posed by Enquirer.	27/01/2005
36	Details from Conservative Party to the HCO authorities about how it has spent 'Short Money' in past two years.	Letter and information requested sent.	21/02/2005
37	Interests declared by the Specialist Advisors appointed by the Health Committee for the current inquiry into the Pharmaceutical Industry.	Letter of refusal sent - the info requested is exempt under s.34, parliamentary privilege, of the FOI Act 2000.	01/02/2005
38	NHS and related public services.	Health Committee does not hold information about individual cases.	
39	The advice from NAO to the Clerk of PAC, which formed the basis of a letter about War Disablement Pension Case.	Request for the NAO's advice to the Clerk of PAC refused, citing s.34; also the other information requested is not held by the Committee.	31/01/2005
40	Unpublished correspondence / or memorandum from Imperial Tobacco; Gallaher or British American Tobacco in relation to the report on 'Tobacco Industry and the Health Risks of Smoking.'	Letter of refusal sent - the info requested is exempt under s.34, parliamentary privilege. Non-confidential memoranda for the inquiry can be examined in the House of Lords Record Office. Also, on the Centre for Tobacco Research Control website, http://www.tobaccopapers.com/ .	01/02/2005

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41	Expenses claimed by 2 named MPs since 1997. a named MP's Europe Trip regarding expenditure on the 'Yes' Campaign.	Letter of refusal - Letter outlines that disclosure of information additional to that in the publication scheme would not be consistent with the data protection principles.	24/02/2005
42	MPs and peers suing or attempted to sue HOC and HOL authorities in the past 40 years and details of settlements.	Letter providing some information requested.	02/03/2005
43	Expenses claimed under additional costs allowance by 32 MPs over a three year period.	Letter of refusal - Letter outlines that disclosure of information additional to that in the publication scheme would not be consistent with the data protection principles. The other request from has not been answered - informed Enquirer when emailing reply for this request that there will be a delay in responding to the other reply.	28/02/2005
44	Minutes of the private session held on 31 January 2005 between MPs on the Select Defence Committee and others regarding the building of two aircraft carriers.	Request for this information is refused as it is exempt under s34 (Parliamentary privilege) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000.	24/02/2005
45	Additional Costs Allowance for 6 MPs from 2001-2004 .	Letter of refusal sent	04/02/2005
46	A breakdown of postage and stationary cost claimed by 3 Members. Stationary costs.	A letter with a copy of the 'Use of the House Emblem, House Stationary and Post Paid Envelopes' leaflet. - 04/02/2005 - otherwise section 40	10/02/2005
47	The appointment of (name) as the Secretary to the Speaker.	01/03/2005 Letter stating we do not have information - our policy is to retain recruitment files for 12 months following appointment.	01/03/2005
48	Travel costs of a named MP.	Letter of refusal - Letter outlines that disclosure of information additional to that in the publication scheme would not be consistent with the data protection principles.	14/02/2005
49	a named MP's claims of additional costs allowance of under £250 for 2003 & 2004.	Letter to Enquirer - in file no electronic version.	15/02/2005
50	Member's travel breakdown for 2003 & 2004.	Letter sent to Enquirer - in file no electronic version .	15/02/2005
51	Expenses claimed by a named MP in May 2003.	Letter sent to Enquirer - in file no electronic version .(hardcopy version provided)	15/02/2005
52	a named MP MP and spouse travel details between 07/06/2001 & 23/11/2004.	09/03/2005 Enquirer raised concerns regarding the letter. Replied and suggested that he ask for internal review if unsatisfied. -03/03/2005 Letter stating the Enquirer is entitled to some info under section 7 of DPAAct . Provided a record of his travel as the ex-spouse of MP.	03/03/2005
53	Employment of family members by MPs since last election.	Letter states that House does not hold information requested.	02/03/2005
54	National Interest Mapping Service Agreement (NIMSA) covering 1998 to present.	Directed to publicly available sources. Enquirer may want further info.	10/02/2005

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55	Costs for individual items of ceremonial clothing and to whom paid.	Letter was sent- hardcopy.	09/02/2005
56	Expenses claimed by 4 named MPs	Letter of refusal - Letter outlines that disclosure of information additional to that in the publication scheme would not be consistent with the data protection principles.	09/03/2005
57	Expense claims including travel claimed by 2 named MPs for 2003-4.	Letter of refusal - Letter outlines that disclosure of information additional to that in the publication scheme would not be consistent with the data protection principles.	02/03/2005
58	Cost of maintenance and repair accounts for the HOC debating chamber.	Letter was sent- hardcopy.	23/02/2005
59	Expenses for 3 named MPs	Information additional to that in the publication scheme would not be consistent with the Data Protection principles and therefore exempt from disclosure under section 40 of the FOIA.	29/03/2005
60	Funding for the antiTNF drugs used to treat Rheumatoid Arthritis in the UK.	Informed Enquirer via email that the committee does not hold the information requested. Made suggestions to look at the Dept of Health's Publication Scheme, contact HCIO or contact the Dept of Health.	10/02/2005
61	The current mean pension paid to retired MP's and the abatement rates for early retirement.	Emailed response with information requested	25/02/2005
62	Travel expenses for MPs during 2003/04 specifically for a named MP.	17/02/2005 - Letter by email. The letter stated that disclosure of info in addition to that in publication scheme would not be consistent with Data Protection Principles - therefore exempt under section 40 of the FOI Act 2000 (personal information) .	17/02/2005
63	Information about pensions for MPs.	17/02/2005 - HCIO responded directly to HCIO - informed Enquirer that more information about pensions, winding-up and resettlement grants can be found in 'Green Book' and provided link. Also other info also provided	17/02/2005
64	Information including expenses, attendance and records of voting by 3 named MPs.	Much of what the Enquirer asked for is already in the public domain. Response to each of his questions provides information about where he can access the details he requires.	23/02/2005
65	Contracts and associated info between the HOC and WhereonEarth Ltd (also known as Locata).	Some info was provided and some is not held.	11/03/2005
66	Terms and conditions of employment of Members, Cabinet Ministers and Ministers of State who sit in the HOC.	Website link to MPs allowances & expenses and emailed paper on participation on votes.	16/03/2005
67	Discussions with members of parliament over Prince Andrew's roll as ambassador for trade and industry.	Email sent from FOICOMMONS stating that we have not been able to locate information requested.	08/03/2005

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68	Discussion between the Prime Minister and the Royal House regarding the Queen's Mother's funeral arrangement.	Email sent from FOICOMMONS stating that we have not been able to locate information requested.	08/03/2005
69	Discussions between Prince William and the Prince of Wales regarding his future royal responsibilities. .	Email sent from FOICOMMONS stating that we have not been able to locate information requested.	08/03/2005
70	Information relating to the Prince of Wales and the Princess of Wales separation and divorce.	Email sent from FOICOMMONS stating that we have not been able to locate information requested.	08/03/2005
71	Discussions between the Prime Minister and the Princess of Wales regarding her campaign against land mines.	Email sent from FOICOMMONS stating that we have not been able to locate information requested.	08/03/2005
72	Discussions between name and Princess of Wales and name and the Prime Minister regarding her campaign against land mines.	Email sent from FOICOMMONS stating that we have not been able to locate information requested.	08/03/2005
73	Detailed breakdown of security incidents.	15/03/2005 Some info provided, some would exceed 24 hrs of staff time and other exempt under section 31 (1) (a) and section 32(2) (i) of FOIA.	15/03/2005
74	Procedure on personal email correspondence with employees on the parliamentary estate.	Referred the Enquirer (via email) to a quotation from the "Acceptable Use Policy for use of the PDVN (Parliamentary Data and Video Network) for Members and their Staff" which Members and their staff have to comply with.	23/02/2005
75	MPs claiming constituency office rental allowance for office premises that are owned by relatives or by themselves.	According to our files there are currently no Members who rent properties from relatives or other connected third parties.	29/03/2005
76	Part A: annual salary & pension of MPs, cleaners and other employees over last 25. Part B - Climate Changes - recycling and energy used in Houses.	29/03/2005 provided some information and other info relating to earlier periods not been able to locate. 22/03/2005 - 3 parts answered and sent, one part left.	29/03/2005
77	Expenses by XXXXX and where he rates in comparison to the rest of the MP's.	Provided info available including website links to both Members and Minister code of conduct. Provided Treasury as contact for info on Ministers.	16/03/2005
78	Details of the person/department responsible for selecting HOC Christmas cards.	Reply saying that the HoC Christmas cards are produced in association with the Speaker's Art Fund; that the Dir of Ops is the Secretary to the Fund; and that the Enquirer could contact him if she has any queries.	01/03/2005
79	The office and staffing arrangements of a named MP.	Information additional to that in the publication scheme would not be consistent with the Data Protection principles and therefore exempt from disclosure under section 40 of the FOIA.	29/03/2005

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80	Expenses claimed by 3 named MP's. - Request hard copy letter.	Information additional to that in the publication scheme would not be consistent with the Data Protection principles and therefore exempt from disclosure under section 40 of the FOIA.	29/03/2005
81	Additional cost allowance and travel claims by a named MP over the last 10 years.	Information additional to that in the publication scheme would not be consistent with the Data Protection principles and therefore exempt from disclosure under section 40 of the FOIA.	29/03/2005
82	Overseas expenses submitted by 3 named MPs.	Some information provided and some exempt from disclosure under section 40 of the FOIA (personal information).	
83	Parliamentary conventions that govern the concept of 'continuing responsibility' of Accounting Officials.	Response addresses each question.	08/03/2005
84	Wales' Opponents of Pheasant Shooting (WOOPS), which submitted evidence to the Committee's inquiry into the draft Animal Welfare Bill.	Have not provided information requested as disclosure of the info would not be consistent with the data protection principles and is therefore exempt under section 40 of the FOIA (Personal Information).	09/03/2005
85	Statistical information relating to the development of parliamentary activities.	Provided most readily available statistics as Enquirer expressed need for urgent response. Enquirer asked to let HCIO if wants other inf, which may exceed target date. Also, provided Fact Sheet P1 Procedure Services - Parliamentary Questions.	16/03/2005
86	Advisory Committee on Works of Art	Information provided for all three questions.	06/04/2005
87	MPs employment of members of their families since 1 January 1999.	Some information provided - the fourth report of Standards and Privileges Committee in the 2003-04 parliamentary session. Other info is exempt from the general right of access to information held by a public authority because as provided for in section 36(2) b (i) of the Act, its disclosure would, or would be likely to inhibit the free and frank provision of advise.	07/04/2005
88	Number of trips overseas, speaking and voting records of a named MP since 2001.	Details given where held and directions to reference sources and publication scheme provided. S.40 exemption applied to travel information beyond that contained in the publication scheme.	08/04/2005
89	Employment of John Mowlem Ltd who was involved in refitting of the HOC in 1950s.	Some info available, more specific info may be in the Office of Works records in the National Archives.	16/03/2005
90	Additional costs allowance claimed by 4 Parliamentary Members.	Information additional to that in the publication scheme would not be consistent with the Data Protection principles and therefore exempt from disclosure under section 40 of the FOIA.	05/04/2004
91	Members Interests & complimentary tickets	Information is not available. Advised to call Registrar's office.	22/03/2005

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92	Staff members employed by 18 MPs and annual amount paid to each staff member.	Information additional to that in the publication scheme would not be consistent with the Data Protection principles and therefore exempt from disclosure under section 40 of the FOIA.	05/04/2005
93	Occupational pension arrangements for 3 MPs.	Info requested exempt from disclosure under section 40 of the FOIA (providing info on Members would not be consistent with the DP principles). Provided description of the pension scheme, 2 HOC library publications provided: Members pay, allowance & pensions and Parliamentary Pension Scheme.	30/03/2005
94	Attendees at the Fire Authority reception in the HOC on 31/01/2005	Information requested is not held.	24/03/2005
95	Recorded minutes in which St Bartholomews hospital is discussed (1969-1999).	Some information provided and some exempt in accordance with section 21 of the FOI (information accessible to applicant by other means) and exempt under section 34 of the FOIA (Parliamentary Privilege).	07/04/2005
96	Breaches of Security at the Houses of Parliament.	Some info provided, some records not maintained and some info exempt under FOI section 31 (1) (b) (the prevention or detection of crime).	14/04/2005
97	Service provider for the HOC gym facilities.	Information provided in full.	14/03/2005
98	HCO pension entitlement	Pensions calculations provided and Library notes which may help the Enquirer understand the Parliamentary Contributory Pension Fund (PCPF).	31/03/2005
99	Expenditure for 6 Members from April 2003 – March 2004.	Information additional to that in the publication scheme would not be consistent with the Data Protection principles and therefore exempt from disclosure under section 40 of the FOIA.	22/04/2005
100	Information from the Defence and Foreign Affairs Committees relating to reconstruction of the German and Japanese Economies.	Some info not held since the committee system did not exist at the time specified in request. Provided some material from the Parliamentary indices and suggested to contact Parliamentary archives (HLRO).	15/04/2005
101	Pension & Allowances	Information provided	11/04/2005
102	Members Allowances	Information additional to that in the publication scheme would not be consistent with the Data Protection principles and therefore exempt from disclosure under section 40 of the FOIA.	22/04/2005
103	Breakdown of centrally purchased stationery and postage costs and Members travel	Information additional to that in the publication scheme would not be consistent with the Data Protection principles and therefore exempt from disclosure under section 40 of the FOIA.	22/04/2005
104	No. of requests received by date and by topic by Parliament.	Information provided	13/04/2005

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105	Parliamentary sessions since Labour Party won the election in 1997.	Some information provided and some not held.	12/04/2005
106	Declared public religious affiliation of all Members of the HOC & HOL.	The House of Commons does not seek from its Members information of the sort that you request, and no such information is held.	06/04/2005
107	Speaker's Chaplain -- The total salary and other staff and accommodation costs incurred.	Information provided and some info not identifiable.	18/04/2005
108	Identity of requester	15/04/2005 info exempt from disclosure under section 40 of the FOIA. 06/04/2005 Letter sent to original enquirer to ask whether his name and contact details could be disclosed	15/04/2005
109	MP's Motor Mileage Allowances	Information supplied and link to the Green Book - Parliamentary allowances, salaries and pensions.	07/04/2005
110	To inspect a number of European Scrutiny Committee files.	Although most of the material in the files can be made available to enquirer the request for the six files is, in part, refused. Info is exempt from disclosure under section 34 (parliamentary privilege) of FOIA.	07/04/2005
111	Information on the EU SOFA of 2003 (OJ [2003] C321/6) held by the European Scrutiny Committee and any other dept.	Some information provided, some not held and some exempt from disclosure under section 34 (parliamentary privilege) of the Act.	13/06/2005
112	List of items reported as stolen from MPs' offices since January 2000.	Spreadsheet with details of thefts	19/05/2005
113	Information about employment issues.	Some information provided and some questions are a matter of opinion and not covered by the FOIA.	14/04/2005
114	Information regarding the Speaker's Office files on the 1966 Speaker's Office Conference on Electoral Reform.	Full access granted to requested files.	14/06/2005
115	MPs expenses	Some info provided and enquirer advised to write to another body to receive other info - 'United Kingdom Office of the European Parliament'.	19/04/2005
116	MPs pensions	Information provided and HOC library paper briefing paper, "Parliamentary Pension Scheme.	20/04/2005
117	Short Fund	Information provided	19/04/2005
118	MPs Expenses & Allowances	Information additional to that in the publication scheme would not be consistent with the Data Protection principles and therefore exempt from disclosure under section 40 of the FOIA.	02/06/2005
119	Northern Ireland Westminster MPs and Members of the HOL	Information additional to that in the publication scheme would not be consistent with the Data Protection principles and therefore exempt from disclosure under section 40 of the FOIA.	02/06/2005

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120	MPs staff names and salaries	Information additional to that in the publication scheme would not be consistent with the Data Protection principles and therefore exempt from disclosure under section 40 of the FOIA.	02/06/2005
121	File HC/CP/12930 (Closed HOC Public Accounts Committee file, session 1989-1990)	Request is exempt under s34 (Parliamentary privilege) of the FOIA.	25/05/2005
122	Security clearance	Confirmation of security clearance	25/05/2005
123	Allowances provided to disabled Members	Not possible to provide a precise response. For part of the request disclosure of Information additional to that in the publication scheme would not be consistent with the Data Protection principles and therefore exempt from disclosure under section 40 of the FOIA. Also gave a copy of the 'Quick Guide' which describes the allowances available for Members.	15/06/2005
124	Employment of family members by MPs.	The information requested is not held.	16/06/2005
125	Cost of MPs pensions	Information provided. Also link to Dept of Work and Pensions on the amount of money spent on pensions in the past year as no info was given by them yet.	20/06/2005
126	Budget accounts for IT training and org charts for IT and Training departments	Some information provided and some not held in format requested such as budgets for IT training are not separately identified. Training team structure provided and PCD org Chart.	15/06/2005
127	Correspondence between IDC and WHO relating to mortality figures in Darfur	The info requested is exempt under Section 34, parliamentary privilege of the FOIA.	06/06/2005
128	Sums paid to MPs who lost their seat at the last Election	Some information provided and some not held.	21/06/2005
129	Allowances claimed by 2 named MPs	Some info provided and part refused as information additional to that in the publication scheme would not be consistent with the Data Protection principles and therefore exempt from disclosure under section 40 of the FOIA.	23/06/2005
130	Information relating to Library research advice	Some info not held . Part refused as exempt under s36 (prejudice to effective conduct of public affairs) and s41 (information provided in confidence) of the FOI Act.	22/06/2005
131	Arrangements for Members taking the Oath or affirming at the start of Parliament	Invitation to view tape recordings of swearing in. Some website links provided . Some info not held in form requested.	20/05/2005
132	What does the sign say next to the Speakers doorbell	Details of what is written on Speaker's door	18/05/2005
133	Money spent in the HOC bar	Most information provided. Some not held in the format requested,	30/06/2005

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134	Memorandums received as a result of the Transport Committee's enquiry into road pricing	Request refused under section 22, information intended for future publication. The material requested will be published in the very near future (before summer recess begins on 21 July 2005).	08/06/2005
135	Number of Committee members registered with GPs near their family homes rather than with GPs near their weekday addresses.	Information is not held.	08/06/2005
136	A list of Yorkshire MP's assistants who claimed redundancy money when the 2001/2005 parliament was dissolved .	Part info provided. Part request refused as exempt from disclosure under section 40 of the FOIA.	04/07/2005
137	Details of the committee members that make up the present and previous Home Affairs Committees.	Information not held at this stage - HAC awaiting re-nomination after General Election.	14/06/2005
138	MPs expenses	Some information provided and part of the request is exempt from disclosure. As information additional to that in the publication scheme would not be consistent with the Data Protection principles and therefore exempt from disclosure under section 40 of the FOIA.	07/07/2005
139	Information on leaflets produced in the name of a named MP	Some information provided and guidance for Members on publications funded from the Incidental Expenses Provision (IEP). But disclosure of info additional to that in the publication scheme would not be consistent with the Data Protection principles and therefore exempt from disclosure under section 40 of the FOIA.	11/07/2005
140	Management of FOI requests	Information requested was supplied.	21/06/2005
141	Travel expenses for a named MP for 2002-03	Have not provided information requested as disclosure of info additional to that in the publication scheme would not be consistent with the data protection principles and is therefore exempt under section 40 of the FOIA (Personal Information).	12/07/2005
142	Travel expenses for a named MP for 1993-1994 and 1994-1995	Have not provided information requested as disclosure of info additional to that in the publication scheme would not be consistent with the data protection principles and is therefore exempt under section 40 of the FOIA (Personal Information).	12/07/2005
143	Copy of the grading review papers for the Systems Engineers in PCD.	Refused request as information is exempt under S36(2)(b)(i) (the free and frank provision of advice which would prejudice the effective conduct of public affairs).	20/06/005
144	Copy of the grading review papers for the Systems Engineers in PCD.	Refused request as information is exempt under S36(2)(b)(i) (the free and frank provision of advice which would prejudice the effective conduct of public affairs).	20/06/2005
145	Complaints from members of the public who visited Parliament in the last year.	Info provided - 5 letters associated with Parliamentary visits were sent to Enquirer.	18/07/2005

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146	Staff who have been paid compensation for unpaid leave.	Refer to NOTES	13/07/2005
147	What happens to 'C Grade' medical reports under the IMPACT contract.	Note: no response sent from Public Accounts Committee - 07/7/2005 Works and Pensions Select Committee sent response separately saying some info in report provided. -01/01/2005 Response sent separately from Treasury Committee - No Info available.	07/07/2005
148	Payments made by Westminster Fees office to Scottish MPs to pay for their constituency office rent charges.	Info additional to that in the publication scheme would not be consistent with the Data Protection principles and therefore exempt from disclosure under section 40 of the FOIA.	21/07/2005
149	Correspondence relating to the legislative protection of ' British Feral Big Cats'.	Informal correspondence of this type is not recorded by the HoC.	04/07/2005
150	Number of attacks made against members' secretaries and research assistants in the last 5 years.	No info held regarding request.	12/07/2005
151	a named MP's travel warrant history	Info additional to that in the publication scheme would not be consistent with the Data Protection principles and therefore exempt from disclosure under section 40 of the FOIA. One of his questions requires a degree of speculation so background info provided instead.	27/07/2005
152	Communications linked to the HOC Library Standard Note on 1911 Census Records.	Hardcopy response posted. Information provided.	18/07/2005
153	Inquiry on a briefing made at the Hoc on Dalits of Nepal on 09/03/2005.	No records in the HoC Library.	29/07/2005
154	Info on the Defence Procurement Budget for years 2000 to 2004.	Defence Select Committee does not hold the info requested and advised Enquirer to contact the Ministry of Defence (MoD).	14/07/2005
155	No. of expense claims under £250 and the value in total of this category of claim.	Claims against IEP and SA provided; cost of providing requested details for ACA deemed prohibitive.	15/08/2005
156	List of MPs e-mail addresses.	Public e-mail address (from Vachers) supplied. HoC private list not supplied.	17/08/2005
157	Info on internal HOC library documents created between July 2003 and present (standard note SN/SG/2244).	01/08/2005 - Some info provided and some not held.	01/08/2005
158	Info on C Grade Medical Reports	Some info provided and some not held.	27/07/2005
159	Details of the remuneration of widowers of deceased Members of Parliament	Information posted (Parliamentary Pension Briefing Note) to clarify what Enquirer was requesting and then clarification of request / response provided over phone.	25/07/2005
160	Members and Ministers pay.	Some info provided.	29/07/2005
161	Request to see a file in the HC Overseas Office collection - Ref No: HC/CL/OO/2/82 / Title: Northern Ireland: General Correspondence (1937-1984)	File opened, and applicant invited to arrange appointment.	22/08/2005
162	HoC contracts	Requested information supplied in line with Authorised Records Disposal Practice.	01/09/2005

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163	Items stolen from the HoC	List of reported thefts, as requested.	06/08/2005
164	House procedures and SAA regulations.	Internet links to Standing Orders provided. Requester directed to Met for Police handbooks.	13/09/2005
165	HoC vehicle insurance	Requested details provided for House's two vehicles.	07/09/2005
166	List of Parliamentary private secretaries	Private Secretaries list has not been released yet. Enquirer given link to future webpage.	31/08/2005
167	Home Affairs Committee scrutiny of Operation Kratos	No parliamentary votes, although relevant parliamentary questions included in response.	26/08/2005
168	Invoice processing procedures	Requested data provided.	27/09/2005
169	Salary details for directors of SAA	Non personal post details supplied; specific wages exempt.	20/09/2005
170	a named MP's official communication re: 1911 decennial Census between 1/1/0 and 31/7/3	Communications not disclosable.	13/09/2005
171	Communication from the Lord Chancellor's Dept/ Dept for Const. Affairs & PRO/ National Archives	No communication exists other than correspondence involving requester and responses to unsolicited e-mails.	28/09/2005
172	Brand and amount spent by HoC on toilet paper	04-05 figures provided	14/10/2005
173	Comparison of contracted cleaning costs and in House cleaning costs.	Unable to make a meaningful comparison as contractors have been responsible since early 1990s.	12/10/2005
174	Request to see closed Clerk Assistant file HC/CL/CA/1/1/23	Request refused (s34).	10/10/2005
175	MPs taxi claims.	Additional info exempt s40; pre-2002 details not held; accounting system unable to extract information.	07/11/2005
176	Travel costs, mileage claims, and taxi claims by Scottish MPs.	Info additional to that publicised exempt s40; pre-2002 details not held.	08/11/2005
177	FOI Statistics	All statistics provided. Copy of aggregate table requested	19/10/2005
178	Name of IT Manager & Director of Finance and details of financial software.	Information supplied, email addresses withheld. [partial S36]	22/11/2005
179	A series of questions relating to financial staffing.	All information supplied.	22/11/2005
180	Further details of a named MP's postage claims	Full exemption s40. Copy of Stationary and post information leaflet provided.	28/11/2005
181	Details of expense claims for 2 named MPs.	Full s40 exemption.	28/11/2005
182	Questions relating to change on the term 'fine' to 'charge' on a Transport Committee press release.	Some information provided, other information not held, partial s34 exemption.	31/11/2005
183	Hansard records of National Assistance Act 1946 and legislation which established the national health service.	Full s21 exemption, information already available; request for braille denied under s11.	09/12/2005
184	Details of a named MPs staff expenses	Full s40 exemption.	01/12/2005
185	Names of 10 MPs who claimed the most car mileage expenses in 04/05	Full s40 exemption.	12/12/2005
186	Minutes of meetings of the ODPM Committee relating to issues raised by public for 15 March.	Full s34 exemption.	01/12/2005
187	Whether the Committee intends to investigate the human rights implications of evidence obtained under torture.	All information supplied, though answer was negative.	30/11/2005

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188	Enquiry regarding undeclared payments made to MPs as a result of underwriting losses.	Applicant sent letter asking for more information.	12/12/2005
189	Request for access to the successful tender for the Basement Rationalisation	Edited tender provided. Partial s43 exemption.	13/01/2006
190	Request for access to closed files relating to Financial Services Regulation at Lloyds.	Full s34 exemption.	15/12/2005
191	List of FOI requests that have been wholly or partially granted.	Request replied in full. Table and cuttings of requests provided.	13/01/2005
192	Brand, softness, and quantity of toilet paper bought by the Palace.	Figures provided for 10/04 - 12/05. Information for previous years not held.	12/01/2006
193	Details of payments through the staffing allowance. Number of MPs paying family members through staffing.	Partial s40 exemption; details of relationships not held.	19/12/2005
194	Are there any regulations or competency tests for staff who are related to MPs?	Applicant provided guidance excerpts from the 'Green book' relating to the relationship between MPs and their staff.	13/01/2006
195	Reason behind the change in terminology on press release and who is responsible.	Some info provided; some not held.	10/01/2006
196	Follow on questions from F05/0192 re: reasons behind refusal.	Response answered his questions though upheld original decision to withhold information.	04/01/2005