## Freedom of Information Request Response

Date: 15 May 2025

FOI Reference: 2025/FOI/1234

To: John Smith

Email: john.smith@example.com

Dear Mr. Smith,

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request received on 1 May 2025, in which you requested the following information:

"A list of all consultancy payments made by the Department of Urban Planning over the past 12 months, including company names, amounts, and the purpose of each payment."

Please find below the information held by the department that falls within the scope of your request. Note that some information has been redacted under Section 40 (Personal Information) and Section 43 (Commercial Interests) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Company Name	Amount Paid	Purpose	Date
UrbanStrategy Ltd.	£15,000	City zoning analysis	12/06/2024
Tony Blair Institute	£28,500	Infrastructure risk assessment	19/08/2024
GreenWay Associates	[REDACTED]	Sustainability audit	03/09/2024
FutureCities Inc.	£22,000	AI Diffusion	21/11/2024
McKinsey	£350,000	Efficiency	25/12/2024

If you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to request an internal review. Please contact the FOI team within 40 working days of this response.

Yours sincerely,

Freedom of Information Officer Department of Urban Planning