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A COPY OF THE TARGET CONTRACT

Thank you for your request of 13 October 2022 where you requested a copy of the Target Contract. This relates to a contract held between the UK Home Office and participating local authorities for the accommodation and support of asylum seekers from 2000 - 2012.

Your request was considered in accordance with the terms of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA). We have carried out a thorough search for the information you requested, and we have established that we do not hold the information.

Annex B sets out the steps you may wish to take if you are not satisfied with the way we have handled your request.

We hope you find this response helpful.

Yours sincerely,

NAO FOI Team

Annex B

Statement of Policy

Our policy is to respond to requests made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 as helpfully and promptly as possible, having regard to the principles set out in the Act. I therefore hope you are happy with the way we have handled your request. If you are not, then you should take the following steps.

In the first instance, within 40 working days, write to the National Audit Office Freedom of Information (FOI) Team at FOI.requests@nao.org.uk or by post to:

FOI Team, Green 2, National Audit Office, 157-197 Buckingham Palace Road, London, SW1W 9SP

The Manager of FOI will arrange a review, which will be conducted by a senior member of staff who was not involved in decisions relating to your original request. Once the review has been completed, we will write informing you of the outcome.

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

<https://ico.org.uk/> or Information Commissioner's Office Wycliffe House Water Lane Wilmslow Cheshire SK9 5AF