

## INFORMATION RELEASED UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT

Information released title	Staff/consultants employed		
Original request	I am writing to request the following under the Freedom of Information Act, over the periods 2007-7, 2007-8, 2008-9, financial years.  1. How many staff has your organisation employed in each of the past three years? (By staff, I mean those paid salaries in the direct employ of your organisation)  2. How much did you pay these staff in total in each of the last three years?  3. How many consultants have you employed in each of the last three years?  4. How much have you spent on employing these consultants in each of the past three years?  5. Please break this figure down by the names of the consultancies, the number of consultants and the total amount paid to that consultancy them in each of the last three years.  Where possible, please give an indication of the role they performed for you.  For Example:		
	Number of employees Total pay Reason for employment		
	Counsultancy xx £xx xxx		
	6. Please also disclose the amount paid to your top 5 highest paid individual consultants in each of the last three years, by daily rate. Please also disclose the consultancy they work for, and the role they performed for you.		
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Requester type	Journalist		

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- 1. 95 maximum number of staff. This figure is for April 2008 March 2009. UKCES was established in April 2008.
- 2. £3,741,742. This figure is for April 2008 March 2009. UKCES was established in April 2008.

For the purposes of this analysis the Cabinet Office definition of consultancy has been used, which is as follows: 'Investigating problems, providing analysis or advice, or assisting with the development of new systems, new structures or new capabilities within the organisation.' This excludes contractors for



professional services such as audit and legal, temporary/interim staff, and the delivery of products and/or services.

- 3. 7. This figure is for April 2008 March 2009. UKCES was established in April 2008.
- 4. £408,552. This figure is for April 2008 March 2009. UKCES was established in April 2008.

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Names of Consultancies	Number of Consultants	total amount paid to consultants
Blackwolds Consultancy	unknown	£39,000
Simpson Consulting Martin McManus	unknown	£17,106.25
Consulting	unknown	£1,170
Total HR	unknown	£67,059.12
Rob Taylor Associates Pricewaterhouse	unknown	£196,483.75
Coopers	unknown	£51,618.93
ITS	unknown	£36,113.91