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Information Requests
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Freedom of Information request: Right to know request

Thank you for your request for information concerning Spectrum interference near Allen Banks on 19 July 2024.

We received this request on 20 August 2026 and we have considered your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (the 'FOI Act').

Your request & our response

For 19 July 2024 between 20:30 and 22:30 BST, please provide any records of spectrum-interference complaints, investigations or unusual/unidentified radio-frequency emissions within approximately 15 miles of Allen Banks, Northumberland (54.970693, -2.318874), including reports affecting radio, mobile, navigation, telemetry or other licensed services.

If held, please provide time, general location, affected service/frequency band, brief description and outcome, with personal or operationally sensitive details redacted as necessary.

We do not hold this information.

Yours sincerely,

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Request an internal review

If you are unhappy with the response you have received to your request for information, or think that your request was refused without a reason valid under the law, you may ask for an internal review. If you do, it will be subject to an independent review within Ofcom. We will either uphold the original decision, or reverse or modify it.

If you would like to ask us to carry out an internal review, you should get in touch within two months of the date of this letter. There is no statutory deadline for us to complete our internal review, and the time it takes will depend on the complexity of the request. But we will try to complete the review within 20 working days (or no more than 40 working days in exceptional cases) and keep you informed of our progress. Please email the Information Requests team (information.requests@ofcom.org.uk) to request an internal review.

Taking it further

If you are unhappy with the outcome of our internal review, then you have the right to [complain to the Information Commissioner's Office](#).