

<b>Use of Exemptions (FOI) and Exceptions (EIR)</b> Note that a single request can cite more than one specific exemption / exception as a reason for refusal	<b>Total 2009</b>	<b>Total 2010</b>	<b>Total 2011</b>	<b>Total 2012</b>	<b>Total 2013</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Qtr. 2013</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Qtr. 2013</b>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Qtr. 2013</b>	<b>4<sup>th</sup> Qtr. 2013</b>
For requests under the Freedom of Information Act, number which cited one of the following exemptions as a reason for refusal									
S.(21) - Information provided by other means	4	29	3	36	73	19	16	24	14
S.(22) - Information intended for future publication	0	1	3	3	1		1		
S.(23) - Information supplied by, or relating to, bodies dealing with security matters									
S.(24) - National security									
S.(26) – Defence									
S.(27) - International relations									
S.(28) - Relations within the United Kingdom									
S.(29) - The economy									
S.(30) - Investigations and proceedings conducted by public authorities	0	1	0	3	1		1		
S.(31) - Law enforcement	0	0	5	13	16	4	7	3	2
S.(32) - Court records, etc	0	1	0	0					
S.(33) - Audit functions									
S.(34) - Parliamentary privilege									
S.(35) - Formulation of government policy, etc									
S.(36) - Prejudice to effective conduct of public affairs	1	1	0	0					
S.(37) - Communications with Her Majesty, etc. and honours									
S.(38) - Health and safety	1	0	0	0					



