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Dear 

Freedom of Information Act 2000 – Information request (ref: FOI_15-186)

We have now considered your request of 28 September 2015 as modified on multiple dates within October 2015 for information relating to the University's investments. Our response is on page 2 of this letter, together with a copy of your request, and we hope this will meet your requirements.

However on this occasion it is not possible to provide all the requested information. In line with your rights under section 1(1)(a) of the Act to be informed whether information is held, we confirm that the University does not hold records relating to funding which ended before 2008. Additionally, our research funding records do not extend into the past beyond 01 January 2006.

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Please quote our reference given at the head of this letter in all correspondence.

Yours sincerely

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Response to Freedom of Information Act 2000 request (FOI_15-186)

I am writing to make a Freedom of Information request for all the information to which I am entitled under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Please send me:

1) The total value, including a breakdown on a company by company basis, of the University of East Anglia's investments in companies that participate in the arms market, specifically but not limited to BAE Systems, Lockheed Martin, Thales, Rolls Royce, Babcock International, Cobham, Raytheon, Halliburton, and Finmeccanica .

[Amended on 05 October 2015 to a request for a list of all current investments of UEA]

The most current list of UEA investments was released pursuant to a FOI request earlier this year and is available within [our Disclosure Log](#)¹ on the UEA website.

2) The total amount of funding received, including a breakdown on a company by company basis, by the University of East Anglia since 1st April 2005, broken down into each fiscal year, in regards to research for companies that participate in the arms market, specifically but not limited to BAE Systems, Lockheed Martin, Thales, Rolls Royce, Babcock International, Cobham, Raytheon, Halliburton, and Finmeccanica.

[Amended on 14 and 19 October 2015 to request only information pertaining to named companies and to total funding provided by each company per project]

[Information not held - s.1(1)(a), Freedom of Information Act]

We do not hold any records for research funding prior to 01 January 2006 or for funding that ended prior to 2008.

I can confirm that we have received no funding (£0.00) from any of the companies noted in question 2 above within the period for which we hold relevant records.

¹ https://portal.uea.ac.uk/documents/6207125/8239304/FOI_15-168.pdf/7c0a876e-b338-4cb9-91bc-dea884b3e3de