

Information Released under FOI

Subject: Met Office funding

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Summary of request:

“Other than government (public) funds. Who else provides the MET Office with funds?”

Information released:

The Met Office provides a range of services to other public sector bodies including Government departments and agencies. The majority of the Met Office's non-competed services relate to the Met Office's public task, its role as the UK's National Meteorological Service and its support of the Ministry of Defence and other Government departments in respect of weather and climate related services.

The Met Office also provides a wide range of competed weather and climate related services to many private and public sector customers. This business is derived from a number of different sectors including transport, energy, media and defence partnerships.