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Freedom of Information request: Right to know request

Thank you for your request for information concerning a list of local TV and radio stations regulated by Ofcom. Your request was received on 4 November 2022 and we have considered it under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Your request

I work for ______. We are currently working on a project to map all local news outlets across the UK to build a picture of where the gaps in news provision are.

Do you have a list of all local TV and Radio stations that you regulate that you could share with me?

Our response

We publish the information you requested on our website. Please refer to the relevant webpages:

AM / FM, Community and RSL services: https://www.ofcom.org.uk/manage-your-licence/radio-broadcast-licensing/look-up-radio-station-details. Coverage maps are included in the individual listing for AM/FM and Community radio services.

Local TV services: https://www.ofcom.org.uk/manage-your-licence/tv-broadcast-licences/current-licensees/local-tv. Please note that we do not have coverage maps for Local TV services in the same way we do for Radio services.

I hope this information is helpful. If you have any further queries, then please send them to information.requests@ofcom.org.uk quoting the reference number above in any future communications.

Yours sincerely

Zach Westbrook

If you are unhappy with the response you have received in relation to your request for information and/or consider that your request was refused without a reason valid under the law, you may ask for an internal review. If you ask us for an internal review of our decision, it will be subject to an independent review within Ofcom.

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- the original decision is upheld; or
- the original decision is reversed or modified.

Timing

If you wish to exercise your right to an internal review **you should contact us within two months of the date of this letter**. There is no statutory deadline for responding to internal reviews and it will depend upon the complexity of the case. However, we aim to conclude all such reviews within 20 working days, and up to 40 working days in exceptional cases. We will keep you informed of the progress of any such review. If you wish to request an internal review, you should contact information.requests@ofcom.org.uk

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. Further information about this, and the internal review process can be found on the Information Commissioner's Office here. Alternatively, the Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office Wycliffe House Water Lane Wilmslow Cheshire SK9 5AF