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Dear Mr Hennigan

### Freedom of Information: Right to know request.

Thank you for your request for information about number of amateur radio licence holders by age group.

We received this request on 31 August 2023 and have considered it under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

### Your request

You asked: *'Please can you provide me the number of people that hold amateur radio licences by age. Please feel free to group ages together to ensure no personal data is made available.'*

### Our response

I can confirm we do hold this information. Please see the attached spreadsheet. Please note that the numbers relate to "live" licences and that the 0 to 20 category includes those individuals that did not share their age information with us.

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

Yours sincerely,

Information requests

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.

The following outcomes are possible:

- 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](mailto: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:

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