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Subject: Work arising from Brexit

This request asked the following questions about the SFO's arrangements to coordinate work arising from the UK's vote to leave the European Union:

- 1. the total number of staff that have already been deployed – or are on the process of being recruited – to work on these activities, including in any central Brexit units;*
- 2. when that exercise of deployment or recruitment began;*
- 3. the grades (or equivalent) of the members of staff that have been deployed or that you are in the process of recruiting;*
- 4. the size of the annual budget, including staff costs, set aside for any central Brexit units in your department coordinating work in these areas; and*
- 5. if available, a description of the function and objectives of those units.*

The SFO has not specifically recruited or deployed any staff, or set aside any budgetary provision, to deal with work arising from the UK's vote to leave to European Union. Any work that has taken place to date has been done by SFO staff as part of their normal responsibilities.
