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## Freedom of Information request to Public Health Wales

<b>FOI Reference:</b>	<b>FOI 356</b>
<b>Date request received</b>	<b>1 June 2020</b>
<b>Date information is due to be sent</b>	<b>29 June 2020</b>

### Information Requested:

All emails, sent and received, between 21st March 2020 and 7th May 2020 to and from the chief executive of Public Health Wales, Tracey Cooper, mentioning the Welsh Government's coronavirus testing targets for Wales.

Mention can be defined as emails containing the words 'target' 'test' 'testing' 'targets' 'capacity'

### Information provided for the answer:

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request to Public Health Wales received on 1 June 2020, asking for:

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Following a search on emails containing the words and date range suggested above, the search has returned an excessive number of emails and to search through these to determine that they meet the criteria will exceed the cost limit. Currently equivalent of 18 hours work.

It has been estimated that based on 1 minute per email the search will equate to approximately 60 hours of work.

Under Section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act, I am refusing this request as it currently stands.

I ask that you consider your initial request and refine your request and re-submit.

If you are unhappy with the service you have received in relation to your request and wish to make a complaint or request a review of the decision, you should write to the Corporate Complaints Manager, Public Health Wales NHS Trust, 3, Number 2, Capital Quarter, Tyndall Street, Cardiff, CF10 4BZ.

If you are not content with the outcome of your complaint or review, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. Generally, the ICO cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the complaints procedure provided by the Trust. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner for Wales

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