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Your request

You asked us for the following:

"a list of businesses that are using facial recognition surveillance systems in their or within their or inside their premises in this borough, Hammersmith and Fulham?"

Where your questions satisfy the criteria of a valid information request, we have considered your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA).

Our response

We can confirm that the ICO does not hold such a list. Organisations do not necessarily have to inform the ICO they are using facial recognition technology and so no such compilation of businesses is possible.

The ICO does work on issues relating to facial recognition. You may be interested in our [ico-opinion-the-use-of-lfr-in-public-places-20210618.pdf](#) and [The use of live facial recognition technology by law enforcement in public places \(ico.org.uk\)](#).

This concludes our response.

We hope you find this information helpful.