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Request

- The number of cyber-attacks that have taken place against companies who run, own, or operate maritime ports
- The number of cyber attacks that have taken place against shipping companies

We received your request on 25 February 2025.

We have handled your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (the FOIA).

Our response

We hold information in scope of your request.

You can access the information we hold on our published datasets of <u>personal</u> <u>data breach cases</u> and <u>cyber investigations</u>.

Maritime ports and shipping companies are not categories we use, but you can search the datasets for the specific companies you are interested in.

Because the information is already reasonably accessible to you, technically it is withheld under section 21 of the FOIA.

Section 21 states that we don't need to provide you with a copy of information when you already have access to it.

Next steps

You can ask us to review our response. Please let us know in writing if you want us to carry out a review. Please do so within 40 working days.

You can read a copy of our full review procedure on our website.

If we perform a review but you are still dissatisfied, you can complain to the ICO as regulator of the FOIA. This complaint will be handled just like a complaint made to the ICO about any other public authority.



You can <u>raise a complaint</u> through our website.

Your information

Our <u>privacy notice</u> explains what we do with the personal data you provide to us, and sets out <u>your rights</u>. Our <u>Retention and Disposal Policy</u> details how long we keep information.

Yours sincerely



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