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13<sup>th</sup> December 2022

Dear [REDACTED],

Further to our email of 6<sup>th</sup> December 2022 regarding your request for the following information:

*Two reports by Keith wood at AWRE Orfordness in 1960s dated 1st April 1960 and 18th May 1960. Both refer to the backscatter radar equipment used, and the results obtained, during the programme to monitor the first French nuclear tests.*

Your request has been handled as a request for information under the Environmental Information Regulations 2004 (the Regulations).

Thorough searches have been carried out to locate the information you requested and we can confirm that the Atomic Weapons Establishment (AWE) does not hold any copies of the reports as per your request.

Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications. If you have any queries regarding the content of this letter, please contact this office in the first instance.

If you are unhappy with the way your request has been handled you have a right to request an internal review within 40 days of receiving this letter, by writing to [information.requests@awe.co.uk](mailto:information.requests@awe.co.uk) or our postal address: Information Requests Team, AWE Aldermaston, Reading, RG7 4PR. If you are still unhappy after an internal review has been completed, under the provisions of Section 50 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 you have the right to take your complaint to the Information Commissioner's Office. Please note the Commissioner will generally not consider a complaint until you have exhausted AWE's internal complaints process.

Yours sincerely,

AWE Information Requests Team