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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NUMBER: 110/2022

Thank you for your request for information regarding Independent Analysis of Covid 19 FPNs which has now been considered.

Applicant Question:

I recently noticed reference made in a House of Lords debate to the NPCC having commissioned independent analysis of FPNs issued for breaches of Covid-19 regulations and how they have been distributed across different groups. Please can you tell me:

1. Who has been commissioned to conduct this analysis
2. What the terms of reference/objectives/research questions are
3. When the findings are expected to be available

NPCC Response:

The NPCC does hold information captured by your parts 1 and 2 of your request and I have pleasure in providing the following information:

1. The institution conducting the analysis is the University of Edinburgh
2. Please find attached NPoCC Terms of Reference.
3. The NPCC does not hold recorded information at the time of your request. I can confirm that no firm publication date is set as NPoCC are waiting on the analysis to be completed. It is hoped that a formal publication will be late Spring / early Summer.

Yours sincerely

Sherry Traquair

NPCC Freedom of Information Officer & Decision Maker

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