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Dear Owen Stevens,

Thank you for your Freedom of Information (FoI) request received on 20 January. You wrote:

“See FOI 2020/77403. The documents attached to that FOI response mention various other documents.

In the ‘benefit cap – grace period declaration (UC46) received v9.0’ PDF the reader is directed to the following:

- Benefit Cap - checking if an exemption can be applied
- Benefit Cap – Household Earnings Exemption
- Identifying and taking action on an over or underpayment
- Benefit Cap - applying the Benefit Cap to a Universal Credit claim

In the ‘benefit cap UC’ PDF it states ‘for treatment on earnings, see Treatment of earnings’.

Please provide these five documents”

DWP Response

We confirm that we do hold the information you have requested.

A copy of the information request is attached.

If you have any queries about this letter, please contact us quoting the reference number above.

Yours sincerely,

DWP Central Freedom of Information Team
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