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To: Rt Hon Wes Streeting MP
Secretary of State for Health and Social Care

Cc: Rt Hon Liz Kendall MP
Department of Health and Social Care Correspondence Unit
Sir Chris Wormald, Permanent Secretary (DHSC)

Dear Secretary of State,

Urgent RF-EMF health concerns – transferred correspondence (Ref: TO2026-00016786)

We write on behalf of the EM Radiation Research Trust further to our urgent correspondence dated 30 January 2026 regarding serious concerns over the integrity, independence, and transparency of World Health Organization (WHO) radiofrequency electromagnetic field (RF-EMF) health reviews, and associated issues of scientific governance.

We note that the Department for Science, Innovation and Technology has confirmed that this correspondence has been transferred to the Department of Health and Social Care (Ref: TO2026-00016786). This matter now sits squarely within your Department's responsibility.

Response to Date

We note that this correspondence was originally submitted on 30 January 2026 and that it has taken approximately three months to receive any response, which itself consisted only of a transfer notification between departments.

To date, no substantive response has been provided addressing the scientific or public health concerns raised.

This does not represent engagement with the issues outlined, but rather administrative referral between departments.

Core Concerns Raised

Our original correspondence highlighted:

- Evidence suggesting interference in WHO-commissioned RF-EMF scientific review processes.
- Concerns regarding bias and conflicts of interest within ICNIRP-aligned frameworks.
- Peer-reviewed evidence indicating biological and carcinogenic effects in animal and human studies.
- The need for an independent, transparent review of the full evidence base outside existing advisory structures.

These issues are directly relevant to public health protection, scientific integrity, and public confidence in regulatory guidance.

Required Action

Now that this matter is formally within your Department, we request:

1. A substantive response addressing the scientific and policy concerns raised.
2. Clarification of the Government's position on reliance on WHO RF-EMF health assessments.
3. Confirmation of whether an independent review of the evidence will be commissioned or considered.
4. A clear timeframe for response.

Administrative referral between departments cannot substitute for engagement with the substance of these issues.

In line with our commitment to transparency, this correspondence will be published on our website.

We look forward to your response.

Yours faithfully,

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