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Question:

In QoN F94 from February the Department said it would be an unreasonable diversion of resources to provide an answer, however other agencies provided an answer to part of the question. Why couldn't Finance answer this question?

Answer:

Effort required to identify and remove immaterial data from activity logs, to provide an accurate view and breakdown of unique domain usage by the Department, would redirect effort and resources from Finance's critical and core activities and priorities.