

FOI Reference Number: FOI/459/1819

Date: 08 February 2018

Request:

Please provide me with ALL documentation, notes, logs, references, memos, records and documentation, regardless of storage medium, relating to the [REDACTED] from 2016 until present.

Response:

Thank you for your information request which Mid and East Antrim Borough Council received on 11 January 2019.

Please find below, Mid and East Antrim Borough Council's response to the information you requested in relation to a [REDACTED]

Mid and East Antrim Borough Council believe that this request, in the context of all previous requests, is manifestly unreasonable as per exemption 14(1) Freedom of Information Act 2000 and Mid and East Antrim Borough Council will not process your request on this occasion.

The regulations do not state what is manifestly unreasonable but the Information Commissioner points us towards their guidance for vexatious requests under Freedom of Information. There are a number of considerations but those that MEABC believe are applicable in this instance are as follows:

- ***Unreasonable persistence: The requester is attempting to reopen an issue which has already been comprehensively addressed by the Council***
- ***Frequent or overlapping requests: The requester submits frequent correspondence about the same issue.***

If you are dissatisfied with the handling of part of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review. Internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be addressed to the Chief Executive at the Braid Ballymena Town Hall, 1-29 Bridge Street, Ballymena, BT43 5EJ.

Please remember to quote the reference number FOI/459/1819 in any future communications.

If you are not content with the outcome of an internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information

Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.

Please be advised that Mid and East Antrim Borough Council may release the response to this information request into the public domain via our website at <https://www.midandeastantrim.gov.uk/>.

If we publish our response to your request, your personal data will be removed to protect your privacy.