

Mike Buckley
By email

23 June 2009

Dear Mr Buckley

Information request

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I refer to your request for information relating to Grant Number GL90007164.

Firstly, may I take the opportunity to apologise for the delay in responding to these requests and thank you for bringing this to my attention. I have also, as requested, sent you this response by way of the separate email address you have supplied to me.

You made three requests:

1. *“What recorded information can you send me that will demonstrate your grant has raised management and leadership skills?”*

The LSC has undertaken a search and can advise that it does not hold any information in relation to this request.

2. *“Please send me the names and job titles of the organisations who benefited from your grant.”*

The LSC holds the names of individual employees and their employer organisations who have made applications for the bursary support which was partly funded by the LSC grant to Common Purpose.

The LSC supplies below the names of organisations which applied for bursary support, but is withholds other information where the LSC considers it is exempt

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from disclosure under section 40(2) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000. The LSC considers disclosure of such information would give rise to a breach of the Data Protection Act 1998. The data subjects have not consented to disclosure of the information, and the LSC considers they have no reasonable expectation that the information will be disclosed.

Software Support
London CVS
Judah Business Consulting
Start Here
Hounslow Action for Youth
Heritage Research Network
Ummah Foods
The Senior
Hiteishee Ltd
Beacon Fellowship
Union Income Benefit
Equalities National Council
Wandsworth Voluntary Sector
North London CVS
Ofsted
Shoreditch Trust
Axa
Bold Creative
Richmond Theatre
East London Business Alliance
Roundhouse
Fairbridge
Speaking Up
Sutton Minority Ethnic Forum
Multiple Sclerosis Society
London Remade
Housing Association Charitable Trust

3. "How much has Common Purpose spent with LSC during 2008-9 and 2009-10."

The LSC has undertaken a search and has been unable to identify any money that Common Purpose has spent with the LSC.

For assistance regarding the Grant, I can advise that the LSC paid £25,000 into the bursary (during 2008-9), with Common Purpose making matching contributions to the bursary.

Finally, I note from the website through which the request has been made that you have sought an internal review of the handling of your request. If, following the internal review, you remain dissatisfied with the outcome, you can write to the Information Commissioners Office (ICO). Full details of the Complaints Procedure are held on the ICO website at:

<http://www.ico.gov.uk/complaints.aspx>

Once again, I apologise for the delay in responding and I hope you find the information that we hold and have supplied to be of assistance.

Yours sincerely

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