

AYLESBURY VALE DISTRICT COUNCIL

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OFFICIAL RESPONSE TO FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST

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Date Received on 7th Jan 09

Reply Due by 4th Feb 09



Request Reference
FOI 621

Date Reply Sent
9th Jan 09

Question asked (as phrased by customer)

-----Original Message-----

From: Trevor R Nunn [<mailto:request-5579-ed293826@whatdotheyknow.com>]

Posted At: 07 January 2009 16:33

Posted To: Data Protection

Conversation: Freedom of Information request - LGO investigations.

Subject: Freedom of Information request - LGO investigations.

Dear Sir or Madam,

During the last five years how many times has the Local Government Ombudsman (as a result of investigating a complaint against Aylesbury Vale District Council) brought to the attention of the council the fact that a member of Aylesbury Vale District Council staff had misled them, lied to them or done anything else to hinder their investigation. If they have what disciplinary action was taken against the individual(s) concerned by the council.

Yours faithfully,

Trevor R Nunn

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AVDC response

Dear Trevor Nunn

Over the last five years Aylesbury Vale District Council has never encountered an occasion on which, the Ombudsman has suggested that Aylesbury Vale District Council staff have misled, lied or hindered his investigation.

If you have any further requests please email records@aylesburyvaledc.gov.uk

Regards
Sarah Walker
On behalf of the Head of IT

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