

Enquiries to: Information Team
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**Liverpool
City Council**

Dear Mr Jacobs

Freedom of Information Request 692967

Thank you for your recent request received 29 May 2019. Your request was actioned under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 in which you requested the following information –

- 1. Why did the Liverpool echo on or about 20th of May 2019, decide to cancel the e-mail from Cllr Ann O'Byrne to the Mayor with regards to Urban splash and Chinatown from 2014?*
- 2. Will the Liverpool city council, now be handing over this e-mail to the SFO in the event it could help the SFO with this ongoing investigation?*
- 3. Will the council also keep all, Cllr Ann O'Byrne's past records from her phone log and computer from 2013 that could help with this on-going investigation?"*

Response:

Liverpool City Council does not hold any information as regards the commercial activities and decision-making of the Liverpool Echo and would advise that you refer such inquiries directly to the Liverpool Echo.

With regard to the remaining elements of your request, naturally Liverpool City Council will if requested by any relevant investigatory authorities, provide advice, information and guidance as may be required.

This concludes our response.

The City Council will consider appeals, referrals or complaints in respect of your Freedom of Information Act 2000 and you must submit these in writing to Informationrequests@liverpool.gov.uk within 28 days of receiving your response. The matter will be dealt with by an officer who was not previously involved with the response and we will look to provide a response within 40 days.

If you remain dissatisfied you may also apply to the Information Commissioner for a decision about whether the request for information has been dealt with in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act 2000. The Information Commissioner's website is www.ico.gov.uk and the postal address and telephone numbers are:- Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire SK9 5AF. Telephone 0303 123 1113. Email – mail@ico.gsi.gov.uk (they advise that their email is not secure)

I trust this information satisfies your enquiry.

Yours sincerely

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