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Our ref: FOI2019-179(3)
Date: 07 April 2020

Dear Mr Martin

Re: Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your email of 08 March 2020 in which you requested from the Insolvency Service:

“Please can you tell me what the policy regarding Public Interest Disqualifications is?

How long after the breach does the insolvency service consider a matter to still be in the public interest to gain a disqualification?”

Your request has been dealt with under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA).

I can confirm the agency holds the information that you have requested and please find enclosed with this response a copy of relevant internal policy/guidance to answer both parts of your question.

If you are not satisfied with the response we have provided you and would like us to reconsider our decision by way of an internal review (IR), please contact our Information Rights Team at foi@insolvency.gov.uk or by post at:

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You also have the right to contact the Information Commissioners Office (ICO) if you wish for them to investigate any complaint you may have in regards to our handling of your request. However, please note that the ICO is likely to expect an IR to have

been completed in the first instance. The ICO contact details can be found on their website: <https://ico.org.uk/global/contact-us/>.

Kind regards

Laurie Judge
Information Rights Manager
The Insolvency Service

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