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Miss Ortega  
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Dear Miss Ortega

**Freedom of Information Request – Student Disciplinaries**

My letter, dated 9 April 2014, in relation to the above refers.

Having reviewed your request and consulted with appropriate colleagues, I would respond as set out below:

- 1. In the past three years have to you sought or successfully pursued any legal action, civil, disciplinary or criminal, against participants in 'protests' such as occupations at the university, this could include (but is not limited to) injunctions against occupations or trespass cases?  
a. Please provide all documents relating to these cases. Details should include, but not be limited to, any affidavits, witness statements and other evidence given support of such an injunction.**

No.

- 2. How much money has the university spent (including but not limited to) on these cases. Please provide a breakdown by case, and if possible costs, e.g. court fees, legal expenses, etc.**

N/A.

- 3. How many disciplinaries have you conducted against students for protest related offences in the past 3 years?**

This information is provided in the table below:

<b>Academic Year</b>	<b>Number of cases</b>
<b>2010-11</b>	0
<b>2011-12</b>	3
<b>2012-13</b>	0

**4. How many of the aforementioned disciplinaries against students have been upheld (where the student has been found 'guilty')?**

One student was found to have been in breach of the University Conduct Regulations.

**5. Please provide copies of any injunctions relating to protest situations (including but not limited to occupations) which you have taken out in this time period.**

N/a.

If you are dissatisfied with the response provided, please put your complaint in writing to me at the above address. If this fails to resolve the matter, you have the right to apply to the Information Commissioner.

Yours sincerely

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