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Date: 18/06/2019

Our Reference: TWC-50884

Dear L MacLaren,

Appeal - Information Request Reference -TWC-50884

I am writing following the review of your appeal attached as Appendix A.

The appeal process includes an independent review of your request, the information we have already provided and the grounds for your appeal.

Your original request was:

I am requesting the details that you hold on the residential home for looked-after children, which was located on West Road, Wellington in the 1980s. Specifically:

- a) When the building was opened as a residential home for children in care/looked-after children
- b) When the building ceased to operate as a residential care facility
- c) Reasons for closure of the building as a residential care facility
- d) Number of children resident in the facility at time of closure

The appeal process has concluded that your appeal has been partially successful

The Council have searched through the records that we hold and unfortunately we are only able to answer point b) of your request:

- b) When the building ceased to operate as a residential care facility

The Council believes that this was the 27th November 1996 but does not have any records to support this.

Unfortunately we are unable to answer the rest of your questions as we do not hold recorded information that could answer them. However Shropshire archives may hold some of this historical information -

<https://www.shropshirearchives.org.uk/>.

If you are not happy with this outcome to your appeal, you have the right to refer the matter to the Information Commissioner at the following address:-

Information Commissioner's Office
Freedom of Information,
Wycliffe House,
Water Lane,
WILMSLOW
Cheshire
SK9 5AF
Tel: 01625 545 700

Further information can be found on the Information Commissioner's website at: www.ico.org.uk

Yours sincerely,

Rob Montgomery
Information Governance Team Leader

From: L MacLaren [<mailto:request-540622-e6ac7cfe@whatdotheyknow.com>]

Sent: 25 March 2019 12:40

To: Freedom of Information <FOI@telford.gov.uk>

Subject: Internal review of Freedom of Information request - Information on West Road Children's Home, Wellington

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Dear Telford and Wrekin Council,

Please pass this on to the person who conducts Freedom of Information reviews.

I am writing to request an internal review of Telford and Wrekin Council's handling of my FOI request 'Information on West Road Children's Home, Wellington'.

A full history of my FOI request and all correspondence is available on the Internet at this address:

https://www.whatdotheyknow.com/request/information_on_west_road_childre

Yours faithfully,

L MacLaren