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Our Ref: FOI 2020/215 - F1206916

Dear James Millar,

Re: Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002 – Request for Information

Thank you for your email which was received by the University on 8 June 2020 timed 12:12 hours, requesting the following information:

Regarding Glasgow Dental School 5 year BDS programme.

Please could I have the admission data for candidates who applied in the year 2000?

Specific data:

- 1) The number of applicants**
 - 2) The number of places available**
 - 3) The entry requirements for that year**
 - 4) The number of applicants granted entry**
 - 5) Any candidates who did not meet the entry requirements that were granted entry onto the programme**
 - 6) Details as to why that candidate was granted entry over other candidates**
 - 7) Did any information come to light about a candidate that lied about their qualifications?**
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University's Response

The Dental School no longer holds admissions data from the year 2000. Consequently, the University of Glasgow does not hold the information that you have requested and is not aware of any other public authority that could respond to your request. Section 17 of FOISA states that where public authorities receive requests for information that they do not hold, they must issue a notice advising that they do not hold the requested information.

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Your right to seek a review

Should you be dissatisfied with the way in which the University has dealt with your request, you have the right to require us to review our actions and decisions. If you wish to request a review, please contact the University Deputy Secretary, University Court Office, Gilbert Scott Building, University of Glasgow, Glasgow, Scotland G12 8QQ or e-mail: foi@gla.ac.uk within 40 working days. Your request must be in a recordable format (letter, email, audio tape, etc). As the University of Glasgow is a Scottish Public Authority, your request is subject to the terms of the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002 (“FOISA”). The Coronavirus (Scotland) Act 2020 provides for an extension to the normal timescale for response to FOI requests for review to 60 working days from receipt of a request. You will receive a full response to your request for review within 60 working days of its receipt.

If you are dissatisfied with the way in which we have handled your request for review you may ask the Scottish Information Commissioner to review our decision. You must submit your complaint to the Commissioner within 6 months of receiving the response to review letter. The Commissioner’s Office may be contacted as follows:

Online Appeal Service:

Website: www.itspublicknowledge.info/Appeal

By post:

The Scottish Information Commissioner
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An appeal, on a point of law, to the Court of Session may be made against a decision by the Commissioner.

For further information on the review procedure please refer to
(<http://www.gla.ac.uk/services/dpfoiooffice/policiesandprocedures/foisa-complaintsandreview/>)
All complaints regarding requests for information will be handled in accordance with this
procedure.

Yours sincerely,

Data Protection and Freedom of Information Office