

8 October 2010

Mr Francis Irving Request-46246-71ee36a2@whatdotheyknow.com

Dear Mr Irving

Request Under the Freedom of Information Act (FOI Act) 2000

I am formally responding on behalf of Liverpool John Moores University (LJMU) to your request received by email on 4 September 2010 for a disclosure of information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

The University requested clarification from you on 6 September 2010 in order to respond to your request, and received your response on 4 October 2010. Therefore, the 20 working day limit was re-calculated from 4 October 2010.

You requested information relating to the Area Information System project which was run by Liverpool Polytechnic during the 1980's.

The University has conducted an extensive search and confirms that it does not hold the information you have requested about the project and is therefore unable to make a disclosure in response to your request. It may well be that as the Polytechnic came under the auspices of Liverpool City Council at that time, that they may be able to assist you further.

The University considers it has fully complied with your request, but if you wish to seek an internal review, you should do so in writing to Mr Brian Kerrigan, Director of Corporate Services, Liverpool John Moores University, 3rd Floor, Kingsway House, Hatton Garden, Liverpool, L3 2AJ. A copy of the University's Freedom of Information Complaints and Appeals Procedure is enclosed.

Once having appealed, if you are still not satisfied with our response you have the right to apply to the Information Commissioner for a decision whether, in any specified respect, your request for information has been dealt with in accordance with the requirements of Part I of the Freedom of Information Act 2000. The Information Commissioner's address is: Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF. Details on how to complain can be found on the Information Commissioner's website: www.ico.gov.uk

Yours sincerely

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