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Email: request-380446-693c3967@whatdotheyknow.com

Dear Ms Yates

**Re: Request for Information – Reference Number SOL/AHKDD7**

Thank you for your request for information received by Manchester City Council on 9th January 2017 and has been considered under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 ("the 2000 Act").

The detail of your request and the Council's response is provided below.

*Please can you let me know if Manchester City Council have approached Asons Solicitors Limited based in Bolton town centre and asked them to move their business to your city? I am interested in knowing if any incentives were offered to them in the move. Bolton council have stated that Asons Solicitors have been asked to relocate to Manchester. Please can you provide me with the documents, emails and letters that were written asking for this move.*

This information is not held by Manchester City Council.

Please note if you are not satisfied with this response you may ask for an internal review. If you wish an internal review to be undertaken you should contact the Democratic Services Legal Team, whose address is, PO Box 532, Town Hall, Manchester, M60 2LA, email: [informationcompliance@manchester.gov.uk](mailto:informationcompliance@manchester.gov.uk) in the first instance. A copy of the Council's access to information complaints procedure can be downloaded from [http://www.manchester.gov.uk/downloads/download/6095/access\\_to\\_information\\_complaints\\_and\\_appeal\\_procedure](http://www.manchester.gov.uk/downloads/download/6095/access_to_information_complaints_and_appeal_procedure)

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review process, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision.

The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office  
Wycliffe House  
Water Lane  
Wilmslow  
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If you have any queries about this letter please contact me. Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

Yours sincerely

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