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Dear Mervat Waheeb

Thank you for your enquiry, which we have raised as a Freedom of Information request.

I was wondering if i can get a copy for example candidate response booklets for the following subjects :

0610 Biology

0620 Chemistry

0625 Physics

0455 Economics

0450 Business

0580 Math

0510 English as a first Language

0478 Computer Science

Because I have 8 subjects for IGCSE this May/June session (2024) and i want to know if i am on the right track on past papers , it will be helpful if you hook me up with this booklet.

I can confirm that we hold the information requested, but we are satisfied that it is exempt from disclosure in accordance with section 43(2) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 and we intend to rely on that section in withholding it. Section 43 of the Act permits us to withhold information if the disclosure would, or would be likely to, prejudice the commercial interests of any person, including our own. We must treat all requesters equally and should consider any information we release through a Freedom of Information request as if it were being released to the world at large. Whilst we appreciate this may not be your intention, providing this data would be likely to give our competitors an insight into our performance, strategy and market share, therefore providing them with an advantage.

We are obliged to perform a public interest test when using this exemption. The public interest test requires us to decide whether, in all the circumstances, the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing it. After careful consideration we have concluded that the public interest is best served by us being competitive in the marketplace as this enables us to successfully deliver our examinations. To provide this information would be likely to impact the delivery of this service to our schools in the future and damage our interests without giving the wider public any useful information. Therefore, our decision is that maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing in this instance.

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Yours sincerely

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