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Dear Nathan

Re: Request for Information – Freedom of Information Act 2000

I wish to confirm that the Sheffield City Region Combined Authority has now completed its search for the information which you requested by e-mail on 4 August 2017

Your questions and my findings regarding the One Public Estate Scheme are as follows:-

1. A copy of the funding application to the Cabinet Office.

Please find attached with the covering email bids OPE3, OPE4 and OPE5. Please note that for a number of projects/areas of activity the Sheffield City Region (DCR) was awarded less than we bid for.

2. A copy of the supporting business case.

The only bid/business case information submitted by SCR to the Government is provided in our response to Q1.

Individual projects (the responsibility for which sits with a number of our delivery partners) may have had project-specific business case documents but the SCR does not hold this information.

3. A copy of the programme for the scheme.

This information is not currently held, it is due to be collected and reviewed in September 2017.

4. A list of the legal, management and property consultants you have appointed to work on the project so far.

SCR directly contracted Turner Townsend for some consultancy support. SCR also had a secondment from one of our OPE partners (Community

Health Partnerships) to support our strategic OPE activity. In order for project-level activity to progress SCR will enter into contracts with a number of its public sector partners (see Q8) in order for funds received on their behalf to be transferred.

5. The potential value of the scheme.

See Q8. This covers the project-level activity.

6. Details of any public consultations that have been held.

None carried out directly by SCR. Our delivery partners will carry out all the required statutory consultations.

7. The name of the lead representatives for each Local Authority involved in the scheme.

Information attached to the covering email.

8. The total amount of funding that has been received to date.

In total SCR have been awarded £662,000 from across OPE3, 4 and 5 – this is to support a range of strategic and project level activity. £357,000 has been received to date.

If you have any queries about this letter, please contact Tom Grierson on (01226) 775759. Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

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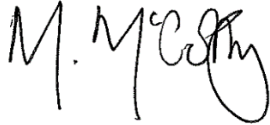
If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:-

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Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
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Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'M. McCarthy'. The signature is stylized with a large 'M' and a cursive 'McCarthy'.

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