



THE BRITISH LIBRARY

96 Euston Road  
London  
NW1 2DB

T +44 (0)330 333 1144  
www.bl.uk

THE WORLD'S KNOWLEDGE

Alexander Maurizio  
request-668426-488385e3@whatdotheyknow.com

03 June 2020

Dear Alexander

## **FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 – REQUEST 2042**

Thank you for your request for information, which we received on 03 June 2020. You asked us;

*Could you please confirm if the British Museum holds in its possession/archives a letter from General Albert Pike to Italian politician Giuseppe Mazzini dated 15th August 1871 and if so, has it ever been on display at the British Library?*

We have considered your request, and the British Library, and prior to that the British Museum, has never owned or seen the document in question, and therefore it has never been on display with either organisation.

If you are unhappy with our response to your request and wish to make a complaint or request a review of our decision, you should write to:

The Chief Executive  
The British Library  
96 Euston Road  
London  
NW1 2DB

Please note, complaints and requests for internal review received more than two months after the initial decision will not be handled.

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you may appeal directly to the Information Commissioner at the address given below. You should do this within two months of our final decision. There is no charge for making an appeal.

Further information on the Freedom of Information Act 2000 is available from the Information Commissioner's Office:

Wycliffe House  
Water Lane  
Wilmslow  
SK9 5AF

Stephanie Hughes  
Information Compliance Assistant  
T +44 (0)20 7412 7234 Stephanie.hughes@bl.uk



**THE BRITISH LIBRARY**

96 Euston Road  
London  
NW1 2DB

T +44 (0)330 333 1144  
[www.bl.uk](http://www.bl.uk)

**THE WORLD'S KNOWLEDGE**

Telephone 0303 123 1113 or 01625 54 57 45

Website <https://ico.org.uk/>

Yours sincerely

Stephanie Hughes

Stephanie Hughes  
Information Compliance Assistant  
T +44 (0)20 7412 7234 [Stephanie.hughes@bl.uk](mailto:Stephanie.hughes@bl.uk)