

Monday 25th February 2019

Mr Richard Sheppard request-551701-bcef3269@whatdotheyknow.com

Information Governance Team Corporate Services & Digital County Hall Bythesea Road Trowbridge Wiltshire BA14 8JN

Our ref: RFI ENQ10703-REQ001

Dear Mr Sheppard,

Freedom of Information Request – ENQ10703-REQ001 - Maintained Schools

Thank you for your request for information dated 11/02/2019 in which you asked for the following information: Could you please provide me with a list of Local Authority Maintained schools.

Under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 ('the Act') The Council is obliged to:

- Let you know whether we hold the information you have requested
- Provide you with the requested information, if held, (subject to any exemptions under the Act which may apply).

I can confirm that Wiltshire Council holds the information you have requested, however, Section 21 of the Act removes the obligation to provide you with the information as it is reasonably accessible to you by other means. Section 21 is an absolute exemption meaning no public interest test is necessary.

The information you have requested is available https://services.wiltshire.gov.uk/dirschool/index.php

Alternatively the information can be found at https://www.compare-school-performance.service.gov.uk/find-a-school-in-england search for a Local Authority (e.g. Wiltshire) and 'Type of school' (Academy or Maintained School) is part of the information. There are separate tabs for primary and secondary schools.

If you are dissatisfied with the above response you have a right to request a review of your request for information. Details of the complaints and review procedure are appended to this letter.

Yours sincerely Jenny Dando Information Governance Officer Email: FOI@wiltshire.gov.uk

Freedom of Information Complaints & Review Procedure

Any person who has requested information from Wiltshire Council, which has been dealt with under the Freedom of Information Act is entitled to complain and request an internal review of their request for information if they are dissatisfied with the response they have received.

Requests for review of Freedom of Information requests must be made in writing (includes email) to:

Freedom of Information Lead County Hall Bythesea Road Trowbridge Wiltshire BA14 8JN

Email FOI@wiltshire.gov.uk

Please include the reference number, date of your request and details of why the review is being requested. Requests for review should be brought to the attention of the Freedom of Information Lead within 40 calendar days of the response to the original request.

Any request for review will be acknowledged in writing confirming the reasons for the review. The Freedom of Information Lead will allocate the review to someone who is independent of the original decision. The person conducting the review will set a target date for a response with the intention to complete the review within 20 working days. In more complex cases the review may take up to 40 working days.

The reviewer will conduct a full review of the handling of the request for information and of decisions taken, including decisions taken about where the public interest lies in respect of exempt information where applicable. The review enables a re-evaluation of the case, taking into account any matters raised by the requestor.

On completion of the review the reviewer will reply to the requestor with the result of the review. If the requestor is still dissatisfied following the review they should contact the Information Commissioner to appeal the decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted using the following details:

Information Commissioner's Office Wycliffe House Water Lane Wilmslow Cheshire SK9 5AF

Tel: 0303 123 1113 (local rate)

01625 545 745 (national rate)

Email: casework@ico.org.uk