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Date: 14 October 2019

Your reference:request-608515-8617cf71@whatdotheyknow.com

Dear Mr Harris

### **Freedom of Information Act 2000**

This request is being handled under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

#### ***Pankhurst Avenue fire - Accommodation and assistance provided to victims***

***Please can you confirm who is paying for the hotel accommodation residents have been placed in, BHCC, Guinness Trust or Insurers?***

The Council does not hold this information. We can confirm that Brighton & Hove City Council is not funding hotel accommodation.

***How much has been spent so far in Total for emergency accommodation and what is the daily cost to accommodate?***

***Of all the residents affected can the council confirm;***

***How many are living with relatives?***

***How many are in emergency /temporary accommodation?***

***How many are in hotels?***

The Council does not hold this information.

***Has the council taken a full duty to house under homelessness legislation for all residents? If not how many have been assessed with a full duty, how many with an interim duty?***

The Council, has not taken a full duty to house any residents under homelessness legislation. None have been assessed with a full or interim duty.

***How much of the social discretionary fund has been spent so far assisting families, if any?***

£190 as at 1 October 2019.

Please quote the reference number 4922766 in any future communications.

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We will now close your request as of this date.

Yours sincerely

Information Governance Officer