

By e-mail

Our ref: 1919

Mr. Jim Killock
request-405211-362bfcb@whatdotheyknow.com

19 May 2017

Dear Mr. Killock,

I am writing to confirm that the University has now completed its search for the information which you requested on 07 May.

You requested the following:

(1) your policy or policy guidance for duties under the Counter-Terrorism and Security Act 2015 duties for the various local authorities listed in Schedule 6, known as "Prevent";

This policy is currently being drafted. It will be made available when it is published.

(2) your policy relating to Internet filtering, blocking and prevention of access to material deemed inappropriate;

This is included as part of the University's Acceptable Use Policy, which is available on our website (<http://www.brunel.ac.uk/life/documents/pdf/Brunels-acceptable-computer-use-policy.pdf>).

In accordance with section 21 of the Freedom of Information Act, we are not required to provide information which is reasonably accessible.

(3) the name of any providers of Internet filtering and blocking services that you use, or else a statement that you do not block or filter content at all;

We use Forcepoint Websense.

(4) a list of agreements, arrangements or Memorandums of Understanding between yourselves and bodies such as the Internet Watch Foundation (IWF), the Counter Terrorism Internet Referral Unit (CTIRU) of the Metropolitan Police Service (MPS), or Police Intellectual Property Crime Unit (PIPCU) of the City of London Police, to receive lists of illegal or illicit content, for instance for the purposes of blocking.

We have a general agreement for the exchange of information with the Metropolitan Police. Any information regarding the access of particular websites would only be released to the police in connection with an active enquiry.

Finally, can you:

(5) tell me if any filtering or blocking service that you use incorporates lists from the IWF, CTIRU or PIPCU, and which lists are incorporated; and

A list from IWF is included as a non-viewable/reportable blocking policy.

(6) provide to me any clauses within any contract or terms and conditions of service agreed with your filtering and blocking providers that relate to their use of information from the IWF, CTIRU or PIPCU.

We have no specific contractual information other than the standard Websense terms and conditions.

If you are unhappy with the way the University has handled your request, or with the information you have received, you may ask for an internal review. You can do this by sending a letter to:

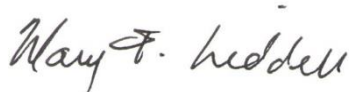
Secretary to Council
Brunel University London
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UB8 3PH

or by sending an e-mail to foirequests@brunel.ac.uk.

If we are unable to resolve your complaint to your satisfaction, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Mary F. Liddell'.

Mary F. Liddell
Information Access Officer