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Our Reference: FOIR-144992743

Ms. Thomas



Information Officer
Hastings Borough Council
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Dear Ms. Thomas

I refer to your recent request for information from this authority. Our response to your request is below. You have the right to request an internal review if you are not satisfied with any aspect of the way we have handled your request for information or its content.

Once an internal review has been conducted and you still remain dissatisfied you may complain to the Information Commissioner who will decide whether the request has been handled properly.

Please note: The Information Commissioner cannot generally make a decision unless our internal review process has first been exhausted. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

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

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Yours sincerely

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Subject: Public sector pay inequality

Details of Request:

I am writing to you under the Freedom of Information Act (2000) to request information pertaining to public sector pay inequality. The following are a list of questions that I would like a response on;

- How many persons does your council employ?
- How many council employees are employed as apprentices, and how much is their pay per hour?
- How many council employees are employed on a salary equal or less than a full-time equivalent of £14,942.20 per year?
- How many council employees are employed on a salary equal to or less than a full-time equivalent of £16,380 (in London £19,201) per year?
- How many council employees are employed on a salary equal to or less than a full-time equivalent of £29,588 per year?
- How many council employees are employed on a salary equal to or greater than a full-time equivalent of £46,351 per year?
- What are the non-pecuniary benefits or expenses available to stage employed in roles with full-time equivalent salaries equal to or greater than £46,351 per year?

This information is held

Response:

- How many persons does your council employ? 361
- How many council employees are employed as apprentices, and how much is their pay per hour? 3, £9.18
- How many council employees are employed on a salary equal or less than a full-time equivalent of £14,942.20 per year?
- How many council employees are employed on a salary equal to or less than a full-time equivalent of £16,380 (in London £19,201) per year? $\mathbf{0}$
- How many council employees are employed on a salary equal to or less than a full-time equivalent of £29,588 per year? 232
- How many council employees are employed on a salary equal to or greater than a full-time equivalent of £46,351 per year? 23
- What are the non-pecuniary benefits or expenses available to stage employed in roles with full-time equivalent salaries equal to or greater than £46,351 per year 23 can work flexitime which is a non -pecuniary benefit. We are unsure what they mean by expenses and "to stage employed roles".

End of Request

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