

2 August 2021

Our ref: IR1-3114932771

Dr S Ali

By email only to:

Dear Dr Ali

Information request

I apologise for our failure to respond to your request in a timely fashion and for our confusion when you pursued this.

As you know, your request was passed from the MPTS to the Information Access Team for our consideration and response.

Chronology

Your original request sent by email on 13 June 2021 sought information as follows:

Please can you provide agreements or documents, including legal opinions, between the Medical Practitioners Tribunal Service and General Medical Council; in relation to general concealing / omitting / discounting / not publishing or formally documenting erroneous accusations by the GMC prosecution at Interim Order Tribunals and Medical Practitioners Tribunals.

As per section 1(1)(a) of the FOIA I can confirm that we hold no information within the scope of your request.

Further action

Given that your request made to the GMC in very similar terms has been the subject of an internal review process I would advise that should you continue to be dissatisfied with our response you do, as you may be aware, have a further right of complaint to the Information Commissioner's Office. Their contact details are as follows:

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Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
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Yours sincerely

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