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Our ref: FOI 2012/044

Dear U Khanna,

Thank you for your email which was received by the University on 22 March 2012 requesting the following information:

- 1) How many CAS's were assigned (Under the Tier 4 General Visa Category) between 5th July 2011 and 30th September 2011?
 - 2) Of the CAS's assigned (Under the Tier 4 General Visa Category) to students between 5th July 2011 and 30th September 2011, how many were USED?
 - 3) Of the CAS's assigned (Under the Tier 4 General Visa Category) to students between 5th July 2011 and 30th September 2011, whose CAS status is USED, how many students failed to Enroll at the University with their stipulated enrolment period?
 - 4) Of the CAS's assigned (Under the Tier 4 General Visa Category) to students between 5th July 2011 and 30th September 2011, whose CAS status is USED but failed to Enroll at the University within their stipulated enrolment period, how many were Reported to the UKBA?
 - 5) Of the total number of students as requested in (Question 4), how many failed to enroll because they were refused?
 - 6) How many CAS's were assigned (Under the Tier 4 General Visa Category) between 1st Oct 2011 and 31st January 2012?
 - 7) Of the CAS's assigned (Under the Tier 4 General Visa Category) to students between 1st Oct 2011 and 31st January 2012, how many were USED?
 - 8) Of the CAS's assigned (Under the Tier 4 General Visa Category)

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Email: foi@strath.ac.uk Tel: 0141 548 5994 to students between 1st Oct 2011 and 31st January 2012, whose CAS status is USED, how many students failed to Enroll at the University with their stipulated enrolment period?

9) Of the CAS's assigned (Under the Tier 4 General Visa Category)to students between 1st Oct 2011 and 31st January 2012, whose CAS status is USED but failed to Enroll at the University within their stipulated enrolment period, how many were Reported to the UKBA?

10) Of the total number of students as requested in (Question 9), how many failed to enroll because they were refused?

University's response

The relevant department within the University has advised that not all of the information you are requesting is held. Some of the information would, in fact, have to be obtained from the UK Border Agency. Therefore, in order to obtain the most comprehensive information available and to reduce duplication across the Higher Education sector, the University of Strathclyde would advise you to request the information directly from UKBA via http://www.ukba.homeoffice.gov.uk/navigation/foi

However, should you decide not take this course of action and you would like the University to consider your request further then we will of course do this. Therefore, I would ask you to advise us whether you wish the University to continue with this request. Please be advised that your request is on hold until we hear further from you.

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Yours sincerely,

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