

3 October 2016

Dear,

Request for Information - ATISN 10762

I wrote to you on 14 September regarding your request for information. In your request you asked:

- 1. How much money from the Welsh Government has been allocated to the Roald Dahl 100 celebrations taking place in Wales in 2016?
- 2. How much money, if any, was secured from the Dahl estate in support of Roald Dahl 100 celebrations in Wales (2016) coordinated by the Welsh Government?

I confirm that we hold information relating to your request. I can advise that the Welsh Government's Major Events Unit is supporting two Roald Dahl 100 Wales projects, details are available at http://gov.wales/about/cabinet/decisions/previous-administration/2015/apr-jun/culture/eh0358/?lang=en. The total value of the grants awarded is £500,000.

No direct financial support has been received by the Welsh Government or local authorities in Wales from the Roald Dahl Literary Estate during the preparations for the Roald Dahl 100 celebrations in Wales. However, the Roald Dahl Literary Estate has provided coordinating and supporting staff for the event planning as well as Roald Dahl brand assets including imagery and intellectual property at no cost, whereas these assets are normally provided for considerable cost to the related parties.

If you are dissatisfied with the Welsh Government's handling of your request, you can ask for an internal review within 40 working days of the date of this response. Requests for an internal review should be addressed to the Welsh Government's Freedom of Information Officer at:

Information Rights Unit, Welsh Government, Cathays Park, Cardiff, CF10 3NQ or FreedomOfInformationOfficer@wales.gsi.gov.uk.



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You also have the right to complain to the Information Commissioner. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office,

Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.

However, please note that the Commissioner will not normally investigate a complaint until it has been through our own internal review process.

Yours sincerely