

19th December 2016

Dear,

ATISN 10950 Sports Wales Governance

Thank you for your request which I received on 28th November 2016. You asked for:

"All correspondence sent during 2016 by Welsh Government officials and/or ministers to Sport Wales officials, board members and/or the board as a whole regarding governance matters during 2016. Please include the full correspondence – i.e. not simply the section that discusses governance.

All correspondence sent during 2016 sent by Sport Wales officials, board members and/or the board as a whole, to Welsh Government officials and/or ministers regarding the same point."

From my preliminary assessment, to provide you with the information that you have requested would require a significant amount of staff time in identifying the information from a substantial number of files. Because of that, I estimate that it will cost more than the appropriate limit set out in the Freedom of Information and Data Protection (Appropriate Limit and Fees) Regulations 2004 to answer your request. The appropriate limit specified for central government is £600. This represents the estimated cost of it taking over 24 hours of time to determine whether we hold the information and to thereafter locate, retrieve and extract it.

You may wish to refine your request by narrowing its scope by being more specific about what information you particularly wish to obtain, including any dates or period of time relevant to the information required. If you do refine your request in this way, this will be treated as a new request.

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 Email: FreedomOfInformationOfficer@wales.gsi.gov.uk

Please remember to quote the ATISN reference number above.

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

