

15th October 2019

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BY EMAIL

Our Ref: FOI 1118

Dear 

Your request for information was received on 19th September 2019 and was dealt with under the terms of the Freedom of Information Act 2000. Please be advised that the Business Services Organisation (BSO) has now completed its search for the information you requested in relation to the interview outcomes for Posts 51628317 and 51669929.

Please find the information requested below:

1. The number of candidates interviewed for both posts

51628317 - There were 6 candidates interviewed
51669929 – There were 8 candidates interviewed

2. Scores obtained by each candidate at both interviews in rank order

Due to the small number of candidates in both recruitment campaigns and the possibility of identification, this information is considered to be personal information and is exempt from disclosure under Section 40(2) of Freedom of Information Act (2000). I can confirm, therefore, that BSO are unable to provide you with this information.

With regards to the information you are seeking in relation to your position in the ranking of all candidates, as well as copies of all interview information pertaining to yourself, this is being processed as a subject access request. We have yet to receive this information but can assure you that we will issue a second formal response with the details once we are in receipt of the information.

I hope that the information provided assists you. If you are dissatisfied in any way with the handling of your request, you have the right to request a review. You should do this as soon as possible or in any case within two months of the date of issue of this letter.

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In the event that you require a review to be undertaken, you can do so by writing to

Information Governance Manager,
2 Franklin Street,
Belfast,
BT2 8DQ

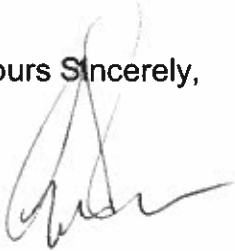
If, following an internal review, carried out by an independent decision making panel, you remain dissatisfied in any way with the handling of the request, you may make a complaint under Section 50 of the Freedom of Information Act, to the Information Commissioner's Office and ask that they investigate whether the BSO has complied with the terms of the Freedom of Information Act.

You can contact Information Commissioner at:

Website: www.ico.org.uk
Phone: 0303 123 1113
Email: casework@ico.org.uk
Post: Information Commissioner's Office
3rd Floor, 14 Cromac Place
Belfast
BT7 2JB

In most circumstances the Information Commissioner will not investigate a complaint unless an internal review procedure has been carried out. However the Commissioner has the option to investigate the matter at his discretion.

Yours Sincerely,



Liam McIvor
Chief Executive