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**Freedom of Information Act 2000 Request**

You asked for the following information from the Treasury Solicitor's Department ("the Department"):

Miley Doran otherwise Myley Doran died 28/11/1990 Sheffield  
James Nicholas Hudson otherwise James Hudson died 13/01/1988 Northampton  
Mary Theresa Maher nee Kerr died 02/03/1990 Isleworth  
Ellen McCarthy otherwise Eileen Dockerill died 14/11/1993 Hove  
Joseph Whelan died 01/03/1992 Camden  
Aloysius John Gilligan otherwise John Aloysius died 11/06/1984 Lambeth

The above estates do not appear on the unclaimed estates list. Can you confirm the estates remain available and are solvent and why they are not on the current list?

Your request will be dealt with by the Bona Vacantia Division ("the Division") under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

The Division holds all the information that you have requested.

All of the estates are solvent and claimable.

The Division's records are only computerised from 1 January 1997 onwards and information regarding estates dealt with by the Division before this date is contained within paper archives and does not appear on the unclaimed estates list.

The estates of Ellen McCarthy otherwise Eileen Dockerill and Joseph Whelan are, in fact, on the unclaimed estates list because these estates were still being administered by the Division on 1 January 1997.