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Our reference: BVFOI/353/14 re Frederick John Hyde

Freedom of Information Act 2000 Request

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

Reference Frederick John Hyde BV9632591/

The Unclaimed Estates List shows that Frederick John Hyde died in 1992 in Bridgewater, Somerset. All searches for this shows zero results, however one Frederick John Hyde died in 1992 in Hertfordshire. Please could you advise.

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.

The Division holds information relating to the date and place of the death of the deceased which was the 8 May 1996 in Bridgwater, Somerset. This information can be found on the death certificate of the deceased. Certificates can be obtained from the local Registrar where the event took place or from the General Registrar Office (GRO), PO Box 2, Southport, Merseyside, PR8 2JD or by telephoning 0845 603 7788. Further details can be obtained from the GRO's website at https://www.gov.uk/browse/births-deaths-marriages/register-offices. The information is reasonably accessible to you by other means and is therefore exempt from disclosure under section 21 of the Act. This exemption confers absolute exemption from the requirement to provide information pursuant to section 1(1)(b) of the Act.

The unclaimed estates list has been amended to show the correct place and date of death.

