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Our reference: BVFOI/147/14 re Katie Eileen Scudamore

Freedom of Information Act 2000 Request

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

"We represent 16 of the heirs on this estate ...

Please could tell us when the claim was admitted, the name and relationship of the heir on whose behalf the claim was made, and which firm of solicitors is handling the administration."

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 admitted a claim on 10 February 2014.

The administrator of the estate is Anglia Research 6-8 Museum Street Ipswich Suffolk IP1 1HT.

I have withheld certain information from the file regarding the name and relationship of the claimant as it is exempt from disclosure under section 40(2) of the Act. The information is exempt from disclosure because it constitutes the personal data of a living individual as defined in section 1(1) of the Data Protection Act 1998 and disclosure of the information would be in breach of the data protection principles set out in Schedule 1 of that Act. In particular, disclosure of the information would contravene the first data protection principle, which requires that personal data be processed fairly and lawfully.