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Our reference: BVFOI/373/14 re Alice Roach

Freedom of Information Act 2000 Request

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

Does the department hold a birth certificate for Alice Roach or her date of birth, as I believe the date of birth on death certificate is wrong?

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 a copy of the deceased's birth certificate. Information relating to the date and place of birth can be found on the deceased's death certificate.

Alice Roach died on 12 November 1984 in Greenwich.

Death 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.

