



Homes &
Communities
Agency

Our Reference:

BY EMAIL ONLY

22 January 2015

Dear

Request for Information

Thank you for your letter of 17 December 2014 requesting information on asbestos in the RAF Staff College, Bracknell. For ease of reference your request is below:

"We would be grateful if you could check your records and let us know whether you hold any records relating to any asbestos contained within or removed from any buildings at the RAF Staff College, Bracknell"

We have recalled from our archives all the files that related to the site concerned, and these have been checked for any information regarding asbestos. We have identified a number of documents that fall within the scope of your enquiry and these are attached to this letter and provided in full. For purposes of transparency we can also confirm that two files relating to the above site were previously held but destroyed in line with the HCA's document retention policy due to the age of the files. We have no further information regarding what those files may have contained.

By way of further information, the Homes and Communities Agency sold the site in question to Taylor Wimpey on 21 July 2005. Therefore, you may wish to contact Taylor Wimpey as they might hold information relevant to your enquiries. Although they are not bound by the Freedom of Information Act 2000, they may be willing to provide any information they hold on a voluntary basis.

If you wish to contact Taylor Wimpey, they have an online enquiry system on their website available at the following address: <https://www.taylorwimpey.co.uk/get-in-touch/contact-us>.

If you have any questions regarding this response or any further queries you can contact us at the following addresses and quote your unique reference number found at the top of this letter:

Email: mail@homesandcommunities.co.uk

Homes and Communities Agency
Fry Building, 2 Marsham Street, London, SW1P 4DF

0300 1234 500
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Mail: Information Access Officer
Homes and Communities Agency
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If you are unhappy with the way Homes and Communities Agency has handled your request you may ask for an internal review. You should contact

Head of Legal Services
Homes and Communities Agency
Fry Building
2 Marsham Street
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If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at

Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire
SK9 5AF

Yours sincerely

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