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Our reference: BVFOI/055/17 re Leslie Kreeger

## Freedom of Information Act 2000 Request

You asked for the following information from the Government Legal Department ("the Department"):

Can you provide me with the direct contact of the informant from Surrey County Council?

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.

I have withheld certain information from the file, the direct contact of who referred the estate to the Government Legal Department, 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.

