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Your Ref: FOI Request - Cambridge Park

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RE: Request for Information - RFI2737

Thank you for your request for information which was processed under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA). You requested the following information:

I should like to know whether Anchor Trust's acquisition of Cambridge Retirement Park, Peterhouse Road, Grimsby DN34 5UU in 2001 was publicly funded. Did they receive a grant from the Housing Corporation or others at the time?

Response

I can confirm that Homes England does not hold the information detailed in your request. This is because there is no legal or business reason for Homes England to do so.

In order to conclude that the information is not held, we have searched with our Grants team who would have the requested information if held.

The FOIA does not oblige a public authority to create information to answer a request if the requested information is not held. The duty under section 1(1) is only to provide the recorded information held.

The full text of section 1 in the legislation can be found here:

https://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukpga/2000/36/section/1

Advice and Assistance

We have a duty to provide advice and assistance in accordance with Section 16 of the FOIA. To comply with this duty we are able to confirm Homes England has no record of any grant funding being provided by its predecessor body, the Housing Corporation in support of the purchase of Cambridge Retirement Park by Anchor Trust in 2001.

Right to Appeal

If you are not happy with the information that has been provided or the way in which your request has been handled you may request an internal review by writing to;

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You may also complain to the Information Commissioner however, the Information Commissioner does usually expect the internal review procedure to be exhausted in the first instance.

The Information Commissioner's details can be found via the following link

https://ico.org.uk/

Please note that the contents of your request and this response are also subject to the Freedom of Information Act 2000. Homes England may be required to disclose your request and our response accordingly.

Yours sincerely, Information Access Team For Homes England