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25 October 2019

## **INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE 19-059**

Dear

Thank you for your information request, received on 11 October 2019. You asked the London Legacy Development Corporation (Legacy Corporation) to provide the following information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA):

"Please could you provide a duly executed (i.e. sealed by the LDA) copy of a Deed of Novation entered into between the London Development Agency (LDA), the Olympic Park Legacy Company Limited (OPLC), and the London Borough of Hackney (LBH), which is dated 9 June 2011?

By way of further particulars, the Deed of Novation would likely be described in full as "Deed of Novation relating to Agreement regarding freehold property in the London Borough of Hackney within the Olympic Park"

I understand that the London Legacy Development Corporation took over the obligations of the Olympic Park Legacy Company Limited in 2012, and is therefore the appropriate body to address this request to."

I can confirm that the Legacy Corporation holds the information you have requested. The Deed of Novation is attached in **Annex A.** Please be advised that the signatures have been redacted under section 40 – personal data.

## Section 40(2) –personal information

- (2) Any information to which a request for information relates is also exempt information if -
- (a) it constitutes personal data which does not fall within subsection (1), and
- (b) the first, second or third condition below is satisfied.

It is the standard practice of the Legacy Corporation to redact personal information such as signatures for members of staff, and for non-Legacy Corporation personnel unless consent to release the information has been received.

The section 40 exemption is absolute and is not subject to the public interest test. In this instance, the relevant condition that applies is section 40(2) whereby the information is defined as personal data within s.3(2) of the Data Protection Act 2018.

If you are unhappy with our response to your request and wish to make a complaint or request an internal review of our decision, you should write to:

Deputy Chief Executive London Legacy Development Corporation Level 10, 1 Stratford Place Montfichet Road London, E20 1EJ

Email: FOI@londonlegacy.co.uk

Please note: complaints and requests for internal review received more than two months after the initial response will not be handled.

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you may appeal directly to the Information Commissioner at the address given below. You should do this within two months of our final decision. There is no charge for making an appeal.

Further information on the Freedom of Information Act 2000 is available from the Information Commissioner's Office:

Wycliffe House Water Lane Wilmslow SK9 5AF

Telephone 08456 30 60 60 or 01625 54 57 45

Website www.ico.gov.uk

Yours sincerely

FOI / EIR Co-ordinator London Legacy Development Corporation