



5 July 2021

INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE 21-011

Dear 

Thank you for your information request, received on 29 March 2021. You asked the London Legacy Development Corporation (Legacy Corporation) to provide the following information under the Environmental Information Regulations 2004 (EIR):

"I would like to make the following request under the Freedom of Information Act.

I would like to see any meeting minutes or emails received from, or sent to, anyone working for the Madison Square Garden Company since 1 December 2020 about the proposed Madison Square Garden/MSG Sphere in Stratford."

I can confirm that the Legacy Corporation holds information which falls within the scope of your request. The information relevant to your request is attached in **Annex A**.

Please be advised that information has been redacted under EIR regulation 13 – personal data.

EIR Reg 13 – personal data

(1) To the extent that the information requested includes personal data of which the applicant is not the data subject, a public authority must not disclose the personal data if—

(a) the first condition is satisfied, or

(b) the second or third condition is satisfied and, in all the circumstances of the case, the public interest in not disclosing the information outweighs the public interest in disclosing it.

(2A) The first condition is that the disclosure of the information to a member of the public otherwise than under these Regulations— (a) would contravene any of the data protection principles

It is the standard practice of the Legacy Corporation to redact personal information for those members of staff under Head of Service level, and for non-Legacy Corporation personnel unless consent to release the information has been received and the information is not already in the public domain. In this instance, the relevant condition that applies is Regulation 13(1)(a), whereby the information is defined as personal data within Section 3(2) of the Data Protection Act 2018.

Information has also been withheld under reg.12(4)(d) and therefore has not been included in the **Annex A** bundle.

Annex B identifies where information was part of the correspondence, but is already public or has been removed as it is not relevant to the request.

Please note:

- All links with the emails have been deactivated.
- Any email attachments relevant to your request have been inserted behind the specific email.
- Email attachments have not been included where these are already in the public domain.
- The exception being applied are shown within the redactions.
- Any attachments with the file extension *.png are just QEOP logos, or other images that are automatically linked to the email. These have not been included.

The Legacy Corporation do not hold any minutes from meetings between it and the MSG team from 1 December 2020 to 29 March 2021.

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