Freedom of Information disclosure log
July 2018

The disclosure log summarises responses to requests we’ve handled under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

- Requester sought a copy of the NPO application submitted by Wiltshire Creative for the 2018-2022 funding round. This information was provided with Section 40 (2) redactions.
- Requester sought information in relation to the casting of a play performed by a funded organisation. Clarification was sought but not received, so the request was discontinued.
- Requester sought copies of all reports compiled by Arts Council England on the English National Opera in the last 18 months. This information was provided with Section 40 (2) and Section 43 (2) redactions.
- Requester sought information relating to the Pulse Survey undertaken by Arts Council England staff. This information was provided with Section 40 (2) and Section 41 redactions.
- Requester sought copies of all applications, funding decisions, correspondence and submitted reports by Frieze Publishing and its subsidiaries. This information was provided with Section 40 (2) and Section 43 (2) redactions.
- Requester sought a copy of the Ministerial Direction made in relation to Acceptance in Lieu decisions, and information on five acquisitions. This information was provided with Section 40 (2), Section 41 and Section 44 redactions.
- Requester sought a breakdown of DYCP applications by gender. This information was provided.
- Requester sought information in relation to Artichoke’s project The Great Fire of London 350. Clarification was sought but not received, so the request was discontinued.
- Requester sought copies of eight Grants for the Arts and Arts Council Project Grant applications. This information was provided with Section 40 (2) and Section 43 (2) redactions.
- Requester sought copies of any applications from an individual applicant. No information was held.
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• Requester sought copies of applications for funding made by Thought Bubble Festival. Clarification was sought and not received, so the request was discontinued.
• Requester sought the funding history of Studio Voltaire. This information was provided.
• Requester sought copies of all applications to Tribe Arts made between 2015-2018, plus supporting documents. This information was provided with Section 40 (2) redactions.
• Requester sought the funding history of the Telford & Wrekin Council, and Shropshire County Council areas, including all successful and unsuccessful applications. This former was provided but the latter information was refused under Section 41 and Section 43 (2).
• Requester sought information in relation to funding for the Notting Hill Carnival Pioneers. This information was provided with Section 40 (2) redactions.
• Requester sought information in relation to Independent Arts. Clarification was sought but not received, so this request was discontinued.
• Requester sought information in relation to telephone maintenance contracts. This information was provided.
• Requester sought a copy of the National Portfolio application made by North East Theatre Trust for the 2018-2022 funding round. This information was provided with Section 40 (2) redactions.
• Requester sought copies of all applications made by Sadler’s Wells Trust that reference the construction work at East Bank, London. This information was provided with Section 40 (2) redactions.
• Requester sought a full list of any vacant properties held by Arts Council England. This information was provided.

About Freedom of Information Requests

As a public authority, all written material we hold, including any correspondence you send to us, may be considered for release following a request to us under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, unless the information is exempt.

To submit a freedom of information request, email foi@artscouncil.org.uk or make a request by post to: Senior Officer, Information, Arts Council England, 49 Lever Street, Manchester, M1 1FN

Further reading

Guidance on redactions within Freedom of Information request responses in Word and PDF formats.