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Enquiries to: Information Compliance Officer

Freedom of Information Act 2000

Dear [REDACTED]

We are writing in respect of your application for the release of information held by the Service, which we received on 21 June 2022. We can confirm that we have now completed our search for the information requested.

You asked:

I am now aware that the purchase of RMML has failed and the company may enter liquidation the end of June 2022. With this in mind could you please also now provide me with the following:

Who will now manage the mutual?

Our answer:

The management of the mutual remains with Regis Mutual Management in administration.

You asked:

Please provide any contacts, emails, minutes or discussions with the new (or potential) suppliers.

Our answer:

As the Authority has not sought any new or potential new suppliers since Regis Mutual Management entered Administration, this information is not held as per section 1 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

You asked:

What is the service doing to ensure continuation of cover.

Our answer:

There has been no break or lapse in the insurance policies held in the joint names of FRIC and its Member authorities.

You asked:

Who are your representatives for the FRIC or RMML contract and what are their contact details (email, rank, contact number).

Our answer:

We can confirm that we hold the information requested however it is exempt from disclosure as the information constitutes personal data within the meaning of the UK GDPR. As it would be unfair to provide this information in response to this request, we are refusing to do so as per Section 40 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

You asked:

Do the authority still consider FRIC membership a success.

Our answer:

FRIC is an outstanding example of a successful collaborative public sector initiative. The Authority believes Membership of FRIC a success.

You asked:

Please provide any and all internal communication (emails, system notes etc) in your possession that contain reference to FRIC and RMML (and any alternative abbreviation thereof) for the period of 1st June up until the time you respond to this request.

Our answer:

Please find attached all internal communications referencing FRIC and RMML as requested regarding this matter.

Additionally, please note that the personal data within the documents provided has been redacted on the grounds that it would be unfair to release this information, within the meaning of the UK GDPR, in response to this request. As such we are refusing to provide this information per section 40 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Any future correspondence with Hampshire and Isle of Wight Fire and Rescue Service in relation to this matter should be sent to the Information Compliance Officer at the above address.

If for whatever reason you are unhappy with our response you may request an internal review by contacting DP@hantsfire.gov.uk or by writing to the Information Compliance Team at the above address.

Should you remain dissatisfied you can appeal against the internal review decision by contacting the Information Commissioner, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow SK9 5AF.

Yours sincerely

[Redacted signature]

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