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Freedom of Information Act 2000

Dear Rachel Masker

We are writing in respect of your application for the release of information held by the Service, received on 07 January 2025, which was later clarified on 20 January 2025. We can confirm that we have now completed our search for the information requested.

You asked:

Please can you send me a copy of all the fire safety reports relating to 6 Portsmouth Road, a multi-storey block of flats owned by Vivid since it was built. This to include:

- 1. fire safety reports commissioned by vivid and shared with Hampshire Fire and Rescue, including the most recent FRAEW (Fire Risk Assessment of External Walls) which led to the combustible cladding being replaced. Did this report identify any life critical fire safety defects.?*
- 2. Fire safety inspection reports by Hampshire Fire and Rescue of 6 Portsmouth Road and recommendations made*
- 3. Details of any fires attended by Hampshire Fire and Rescue at 6 Portsmouth Road since it was built and any deaths or injuries as a result*
- 4. The number of times in the last five years, since the date of request (07/01/2025), Hampshire Fire and Safety has been called out because people are stuck in the lifts when they break down.*

Our answer:

We can confirm we hold all the information that has been requested unless noted below. Please find the documents relating to points 1 and 2 attached. For your awareness, we do not hold the full FRAEW report. This is because we would not necessarily be sent the full

FRAEW report unless we specifically request it. We can confirm that the document titled 'External Walls Report - EWR41' is the only External Wall Report that we hold.

We have redacted all of the personal data on the documents attached, within the meaning of the UK GDPR and Data Protection Act 2018. This is because it would be unfair to disclose this information, in response to your request. Therefore, we are refusing to provide this as per Section 40 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

For point 3, this can be found in the document titled 'HIWFRS FOI 147 - 6 Portsmouth Road Fires Data'. We have redacted the personal data on this spreadsheet for the same reason mentioned above.

Furthermore, we can confirm that there were 18 'lift release' cases in the review period (0).

The above concludes our investigation into this matter.

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 Data Protection Officer at the above address.

Should you remain dissatisfied you can appeal against the internal review decision by contacting the Information Commissioners Office. This can be done online at www.ico.org.uk/foicomplaints or by post to The Information Commissioner, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow SK9 5AF.

Yours sincerely

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