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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST 1139

I write further to your email dated 06 March 2020.

Your request has been dealt with under the terms of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA), explained on our freedom of information page.

Your request:

1. The total number of works of art owned by your local authority.

Three sculptures - The Heart of the Forest, The Forest Floor and WW1 100 year commemorative artwork. We also own/are responsible for 'The Mother and Child Sculpture' a Robert Thomas artwork (this has been in our ownership for over 20 years)

2. The estimated total value.

£75,000 to £125,000

3. The number of works currently on display.

Four.

- 4. How many works of art have been donated by the local authority over the past five years? *None.*
- 5. How many works of art have been leased by the local authority over the past five years and the total revenue.

None.

6. How many works of art have been sold by the local authority over the past five years and the total proceeds from any sales.

None.

7. The cost to the local authority of maintaining your art collection for the financial year 2018/19. Please include any costs for insurance, conservation and insurance.

In 2018/19 total cost was £808.20 in insurance. No maintenance was conducted.

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If you remain dissatisfied following the conclusion of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at accessicoinformation@ico.org.uk.

Yours sincerely

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