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and Compliance

Tel: 01443232000

E-bost/E-mail: DataProtection@southwales-fire.gov.uk

*Our ref:* IG000195

Dyddiad/Date: 01/04/2020

## **RE: Request for Information held by SWFRS**

Your request ref: IG000195 has been dealt with under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

## You asked us:

 Can you please confirm if you are using the Microsoft Office 365 solution in your IT environment?

No

- If so, how you currently back up your Office 365 data? If it is backed up please confirm which software or service solution you currently have in place.
   Do not apply as we do not use Office 365
- If a system or service is in place to backup South Wales Fire and Rescue Service's Office 365
  environment can you confirm the retention period the data is stored for?

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- 4. Who in South Wales Fire and Rescue Service is responsible for the protection of your critical data?

With regard to your request for direct contact details, SWFRS operates a single point of contact policy. All callers are requested to contact the Service via HQ Reception on 01443 232000. The call will be directed to the most appropriate department/individual to deal with your call.

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This is the same for email correspondence. Please direct all emails enquiries to <a href="mailto:swfs@southwales-fire.gov.uk">swfs@southwales-fire.gov.uk</a> so that your request can be directed as appropriate.

This policy is in operation to ensure that calls/emails are dealt with more efficiently – as structures/posts can change, this prevents emails being sent to individuals whose role may have changed. It also prevents individuals from receiving unwarranted calls/correspondence.

This stance is supported by guidance from the Information Commissioner's Office which states that:

"The presumption is in favour of protecting privacy, so the release of personal information will only be fair if there is a genuine reason to disclose. This involves a three-stage test. A public authority will generally have to satisfy itself that:

- there is a legitimate interest in disclosure;
- the legitimate interest can only be met, or fully met, by the disclosure of information which identifies individuals (i.e. the disclosure is necessary to that purpose); and,
- the disclosure would not involve unwarranted detriment to the individual's privacy or other rights and legitimate interests.

In this instance you have not provided any indications a legitimate interest in disclosure of such information – or demonstrated that the release of such information is vital to that interest.

If you have any queries regarding your Freedom of Information request, please contact us at <a href="mailto:Dataprotection@southwales-fire.gov.uk">Dataprotection@southwales-fire.gov.uk</a> quoting the reference number above in any future communication.

If you are dissatisfied with the way that your information request has been handled, you can request an internal review by writing to:

Information Governance and Compliance Manager South Wales Fire and Rescue Service Forest View Business Park Llantrisant CF72 8LX

If you remain dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to appeal to the Information Commissioner at:

Parc Busnes Forest View, Llantrisant, Pont-y-clun, CF72 8LX.

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Information Commissioner's Office-Wales,

2nd Floor, Churchill House, Churchill Way, Cardiff, CF10 2HH.

There is no charge for making an appeal.

Yours Faithfully

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