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Dear

Request for Information – ATISN 15173

Thank you for your request for information dated 26 May regarding Wales pilot test events.

Information requested

For the period 1 January 2021 to the date of your request:

1. Copies of any documents or guidance that could be considered as application criteria supplied to entities looking at holding a prospective event.
2. A list of entities that enquired or held any preliminary conversations with Welsh Government around such pilot events, and dates of that first contact.
3. If there was an application to hold a pilot event, or process that could be similarly described, a list of entities that 'applied' and dates of that 'application'.
4. If there was any deadline / cut off, or something that could be similarly described, for consideration to be included on the list of confirmed events as published by WG on the 11th May, a list of entities considered for that list, any deadline related to them, and if they completed any process required to be eligible by that point.
5. A summary of feedback / reasoning for those listed in 2 either being part of, or not being part of, the pilot event programme as published on the 11th May.
6. Copies of any communication with Wrexham AFC in connection with the above process.

Our Response

I confirm the Welsh Government holds some information caught by your request. No information is held in relation to questions 1-5. The process was undertaken in conjunction with the Events Wales Industry Advisory Group due to the need to have options available when Wales moved into Level 3 and Pilot Events could recommence. There was no application process as referred to in questions 3, 4 and 5.



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We welcome receiving correspondence in Welsh. Any correspondence received in Welsh will be answered in Welsh and corresponding in Welsh will not lead to a delay in responding.

The information we hold in relation to your last question has recently been released in response to another Freedom of Information request and is available to view on the Welsh Government website at <https://gov.wales/atisn15128>.

Next steps

If you are dissatisfied with the Welsh Government's handling of your request, you can ask for an internal review within 40 working days of the date of this response. Requests for an internal review should be addressed to the Welsh Government's Freedom of Information Officer at: Information Rights Unit, Welsh Government, Cathays Park, Cardiff, CF10 3NQ or Email: Freedom.ofinformation@gov.wales. Please remember to quote the ATISN reference number above.

You also have the right to complain to the Information Commissioner. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF. However, please note that the Commissioner will not normally investigate a complaint until it has been through our own internal review process.

Personal information

The request you sent me contains personal information about you - for example, your name and address. The Welsh Government will be the data processor for this information and, in accordance with the General Data Protection Regulation, it will be processed in order to fulfil our public task and meet our legal obligations under the Act to provide you with a response. We will only use this personal information to deal with your request and any matters which arise as a result of it. We will keep your personal information and all other information relating to your request for three years from the date on which your request is finally closed. Your personal information will then be disposed of securely.

Under data protection legislation, you have the right:

- to be informed of the personal data we hold about you and to access it
- require us to rectify inaccuracies in that data
- to (in certain circumstances) object to or restrict processing
- for (in certain circumstances) your data to be 'erased'
- to (in certain circumstances) data portability
- to lodge a complaint with the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO) who is our independent regulator for data protection

For further information about the information which the Welsh Government holds and its use, or if you wish to exercise your rights under the GDPR, please contact: Data Protection Officer, Welsh Government, Cathays Park, CARDIFF, CF10 3NQ or e-mail DataProtectionOfficer@gov.wales.

The address for the Information Commissioner's Office is: Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF. Phone numbers are 01625 545 745 or 0303 123 1113. Electronic contact details are at <https://ico.org.uk/global/contact-us/email/>.

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Yours sincerely