

Dear

13 July 2022

Request for Information – ATISN 16402

Thank you for your request for information dated 15 June.

Information requested

You asked for the following information –

1. Any environmental studies or assessments of Gilestone Farm considered by the Welsh Government prior to its purchase by the government?
2. Details of any consultations with Environmental organisations/departments either internal to the Welsh Government, or external?

Our response

Standard Environmental reports were commissioned prior to the purchase and further reports would be carried out for any future use of the property as appropriate.

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.

Yours sincerely