

Freedom of Information Request No. 5509

Environmental Information Regulations Request No. 5509

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Request/Response

Q1. Definition of antisemitism

Q1a. Has the International Holocaust Remembrance Alliance Definition of Antisemitism ('IHRA Definition') been adopted by Rother District Council? See antisemitism.uk/definition for more information about the IHRA Definition. **NO**

Q1b. If the IHRA Definition has been adopted, please provide the date that the motion to do so was approved and provide a link to the relevant motion/minutes.

N/A

Q1c. If the IHRA Definition has been adopted, was the IHRA Definition adopted in its entirety including all of the examples? **N/A**

Q1d. If all of the examples were not adopted, which ones were omitted? **N/A**

Q1e. If the IHRA Definition has not been adopted at all, was there a motion to adopt the IHRA Definition which was defeated, and if so on what date was it defeated? **NO**

Q1f. If the IHRA Definition has not yet been adopted, has adoption been timetabled? **NO**

Q2. Codes of Conduct

Q2a. If adopted, has the IHRA Definition been incorporated into the members' code of conduct? **N/A**

Q2b. If adopted, has the IHRA Definition been incorporated into the officers' and employees' code of conduct and conditions of employment? **N/A**

Q2c. Who is responsible for investigating or monitoring alleged breaches of the council's codes of conduct for members and also for employees/officers? Please provide their name, job title, e-mail address and direct telephone number.

Members: Lisa Cooper, Monitoring Officer, Rother District Council, Bexhill-on-Sea, East Sussex TN39 3JX lisa.cooper@rother.gov.uk 01424 787000 (all calls go through our Help Point, we do not disclose direct numbers)

Officers: Any complaints against officers would be dealt with through the Council's Disciplinary Procedures and the person responsible will depend on the service area concerned.

Q3. Complaints

Q3a. How many formal complaints of antisemitic conduct has Rother District Council considered between 1st January 2017 and 31st December 2018 against members, officers or council employees?

Members: None

Officers / council employees: None

Q3b. How many complaints resulted in disciplinary action?

Members: N/A

Officers / council employees: N/A

Q3c. How many complaints resulted in no disciplinary action?

Members: N/A

Officers / council employees: N/A

Q4. Equality, diversity & training

Q4a. Who is responsible for complying with Rother District Council's legal obligations in relation to equality and diversity? Please provide their name, job title, e-mail address and direct telephone number.

The Council's Equalities Officer is Debbie Peters debbie.peters@rother.gov.uk 01424 787000

Q4b. What training do Rother District Council provide to their members, officers and employees specifically on antisemitism as opposed to generally against all forms of discrimination prohibited under the Equality Act 2010?

Members: None

Officers / council employees: None

Q4c. If such specific training on antisemitism is provided, is it conducted by Rother District Council in-house or is it outsourced to a training provider? **N/A**

Q4d. If such specific training on antisemitism is outsourced, which organisation(s) provide the training? **N/A**

Q5. Prevent coordinator

Q5a. Who is Rother District Council's Prevent Coordinator? Please provide their name, job title, e-mail address and direct telephone number.

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