

FOI 3800

29th May 2026

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 – INFORMATION REQUEST

Q1. Whether the Data Destruction Certificates held by the Trust contain an explicit recorded statement warranting or guaranteeing that the final data state of each specific storage device is irrecoverable.

Response:

This is correct.

Q2. If such a statement exists, please provide the exact recorded wording as it appears on the certificates currently relied upon. Any commercially or security sensitive information may be redacted as appropriate.

Response:

- Any data bearing assets available for remarketing have been data sanitised using ... (where applicable)
- Any non-working/non-marketable data bearing assets have had the drives removed for shredding to pieces no larger than 20mm.
- Any loose media is shredded to pieces no larger than 20mm.

Guarantee:

<<Company name>> guarantee that all assets requiring data sanitation were completely wiped using ...

Q3. If no such explicit outcome-based warranty wording exists, please confirm whether the certificates instead confirm that a destruction or erasure process has been carried out, rather than providing recorded evidence demonstrating irrecoverability of the final data state.

Response:

N/A

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