



Response to Request for Information

Reference FOI 081568
Date 13 August 2015

Grand Theatre, Wolverhampton

Request:

Specifically, I am requesting information on all contracts, documents, ticket manifests, ticket distribution charts, ticket allotment summaries, sponsorship and marketing agreements for events held at the venue over the last 12 months. This is to include anything relating to:

- Proportion of tickets which were made available to the public, ticket brokers, sponsors, private organisations and public organisations;
- The total number of tickets available for every event and how they were sold and / or distributed. This includes any draft distribution sheets and plans that were incorporated in fact or by reference into the final distribution sheets;
- Limitations or requirements imposed on the resale of tickets;
- Limitations or requirements imposed on the minimum price of resale tickets, including price floors and ceilings;
- Limitations or requirements imposed on the channels, platforms and websites on which tickets could be resold;
- Limitations or requirements imposed on purchasing tickets, including exclusivity agreements;
- Any contracts for exclusive rights of resale;
- Any documents mentioning requirements that ticket brokers commit to reinvesting money earned from ticket resale back into purchasing future tickets from the team;
- Any contracts guaranteeing ticket brokers tickets, whether that guarantee was conditional or unconditional; and
- Revenue sharing agreements between the venue and third parties.

For the purposes of this letter a "ticket broker" is defined as anyone, individually or as a business, who acquired tickets to an event, by any means, for purposes of resale.

Following reasonable enquiries, it has been established that the Council does not hold the above information. Consequently, we are unable to provide any information relating to the above, as per Section 1(1)(a) of the Act:

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"Any person making a request for information to a public authority is entitled to be informed in writing by the public authority whether it holds information of the description specified in the request".