

Information relating to employment of Assembly Members relatives

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Dear

Request for Information.

I refer to your request transferred from the Welsh Government on 24 January, in which you asked,

Which assembly members (ordinary and executive) have family or relatives working in the assembly and in which departments

The National Assembly for Wales publishes a log which provides information as to those Assembly Members (which includes Ministers) who at any time, with the support of Assembly Commission funds, employs, whether directly or indirectly, a person whom the Member knows to be a family member or that Member or any other Member. You can view the log from the Assembly websites at the following link

http://www.assemblywales.org/memhome/employment_of_family_members.htm

The Assembly holds no further information as to the employment of the relatives of Assembly Members, or information on any staff employed by the Welsh Government

Your request has been considered according to the principles set out in the Code of Practice on Public Access to Information. The code is published on our website at <http://www.assemblywales.org/abthome/abt-foi/abt-foi-cop-pub.htm> If you have any questions regarding this response please contact me.

If you believe that I have not applied the Code correctly or have not followed the relevant laws, you may make a formal complaint to the Chief Executive

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and Clerk at the National Assembly for Wales, Cardiff Bay. Details of the Assembly's complaints principles are set out in the Code of Practice on Complaints available on the Internet at <http://www.assemblywales.org/conhome/con-complaint.htm> , please advise me if you wish to receive a printed copy.

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office
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Water Lane
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Yours sincerely

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