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To: [REDACTED]
Subject: EIR-17-1471 - Aberdeen FC Meeting
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Attachments: [Further Information - Right to Review & Appeal.pdf](#)

Dear [REDACTED]

Thank you for your information request of 12 October 2017. Aberdeen City Council (ACC) has completed the necessary search for the information requested.

Under the Freedom of Information Act, I would like all details, including the agenda and minutes of what was discussed, at the meeting between the Chief Executive of Aberdeen City Council, Angela Scott, Aberdeen City Council's interim head of planning, Aberdeen FC Chairman Stewart Milne, and Aberdeen FC vice-chairman George Yule, on Tuesday 3rd October 2017.

This was an informal meeting held between the above parties and a representative from Burness Paull LLP in Aberdeen from 10.30am on 3rd October 2017. No agenda was produced and no minutes were taken.

The purpose of the meeting was to inform the applicants of the status of the application in the lead up to the publication of the report. It was noted that the report was still in the process of drafting, including legal review so the discussion was undertaken on that basis.

Matters discussed covered the broad information submitted and assessed by the Planning Authority as part of the assessment process and the drafting of the report. The draft recommendations of the Planning Authority also were discussed with it being confirmed that they were still to be finalised.

ACC is unable to provide you with information on **agenda and minutes of what was discussed** as it is not held by the Council. In order to comply with its obligations under the terms of Regulation 10(4)(a) - Information Not Held - of the EIRs, ACC hereby gives notice that this information is not held by it. ACC is required by Regulation 10(1)(b) of the EIRs to inform you as to why in all the circumstances of the case, the public interest in maintaining this exception outweighs the public interest in disclosing this information to you. ACC is satisfied that it does not hold this information and considers that, as there is no information held, the public interest lies with the exception.

We hope this helps with your request.

Yours sincerely,

Grant Webster
Information Compliance Officer

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