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Our Ref: 4046213  
Date: 12 November 2021

Dear Von Hobbs

## **Freedom of Information Request**

Your request has been considered under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act. Specifically, you have requested the following information:

*“This is my wish for access to records.*

*Description of Requested Records:*

*All studies and/or reports and/or records in the possession, custody or control of the addressed body corporate describing the purification (i.e. via filtration and ultracentrifugation and chromatography) of any 'COVID-19 virus' (aka 'SARS-COV-2', including any alleged 'variants' i.e. 'B.1.1.7', 'B.1.351', 'P.1') directly from a sample taken from a diseased man, where the patient sample was not first combined with any other source of genetic material (i.e. monkey kidney cells aka Vero cells; fetal bovine serum, liver cancer cells) and also studies and/or reports and/or records in the possession, custody or control of the addressed body corporate proving a causal link between Sars-Cov-2 and the suspected infectious disease Covid-19.*

*Please note that I am not requesting studies/reports where researchers failed to purify the suspected 'virus' (separate the alleged 'virus' from everything thing else in the patient sample) and instead:*

- cultured an unpurified sample or other unpurified substance, and/or*
- performed an amplification test (i.e. a PCR test) on the total RNA from a patient sample or from a cell culture, or on genetic material from any unpurified substance, and/or*  *fabricated a genome based on PCR-detected sequences in the total RNA from a patient sample or from a cell culture or from any unpurified substance, and/or*
- produced electron microscopy images of unpurified things in a cell culture.*

*Clarification of Request*

*For further clarity, please note I am already aware that according to virus theory a 'virus' requires host cells in order to replicate, and I am not requesting records describing*

*the replication of a 'virus' without host cells. Further, I am not requesting private patient information, or records that describe a suspected 'virus' floating in a vacuum; I am simply requesting records that describe its purification (separation from everything else in the patient sample, as per standard laboratory practices for the purification of other very small things).*

*Please note that my request includes any study/report matching the above description, for example (but not limited to) any published peer-reviewed study authored by anyone, anywhere. This includes your own website which claims to have the virus isolated ; given your body corporate/politick receives publick treasure, the worldwide 'interest' and that more than 100 institutions other have no virus isolate this is for publick record/evidence”.*

The public health team at Croydon Council do not hold any reports/ studies/ records relating to the purification of COVID-19 virus. The Council is not responsible for the handling or processing of biological samples. We are also unaware of any relevant unpublished reports or published peer review papers on the topic matter. A search of electronic clinical journals, such as PubMed and Science Direct, might help you find relevant clinical studies on the topic of interest.

If you are dissatisfied with the way the Council has handled your request under the Freedom of Information Act you may ask for an internal review. This should be submitted to us within 40 working days of this response. You can do this by outlining the details of your complaint by:

Email: [FOI@croydon.gov.uk](mailto:FOI@croydon.gov.uk)

Writing: Information Team  
London Borough of Croydon  
Bernard Weatherill House  
7<sup>th</sup> Floor - Zone C  
8 Mint Walk  
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Any requests received after the 40 working day time limit will be considered only at the discretion of the council.

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  
Wycliffe House  
Water Lane  
Wilmslow  
Cheshire SK9 5AF

Yours sincerely

19 October 2021

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London Croydon – Rachel Flowers

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If any records match the above description of requested records and are currently available in the public domain, please provide enough information about each record so that I may identify and access each one with certainty (i.e. title, author(s), date, journal, where the public may access it). Please provide URLs where possible.

**Format:**

Pdf documents sent to me via email; I do not wish for anything to be shipped to me.

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