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To DSAR-ATMR <DSAR-ATMR@aikerlegal.org>

Rebekah Ditcher

Date: 15/01/2026

Our ref: 59343

Your ref: Client: Daniel Day

Dear Rebekah Ditcher,

I refer to your request for information which was received on 18/12/2025. We have dealt with your request in accordance with Article 15 of the General Data Protection Regulation.

Unfortunately, we have been unable to locate any information within scope of your request.

I regret that I am unable to supply you with the information you requested as The City of Edinburgh Council does not hold this information. Extensive searches were carried out by our Children & Families department as well as our by our SCAI team, however they were unable to locate any of the records that you have requested.

Searches were carried out using the information provided including sibling information. Unfortunately, no records were found. Cruachan Children's Home was run by Barnardo's so I recommend that you contact them to see if they hold any records: Former Barnardo's children | Barnardo's. As his home address was Inverkeithing prior to his placement, it may also be worthwhile contacting Fife Council to see if they have any records at: Subject Access Request - GDPR | Fife Council.

I am sorry that I cannot be of further assistance at this time; if you have any questions or concerns, please do get in touch.

Right of Appeal

You can ask the Council to review its handling of your request if you are unhappy with how it has been handled. If you remain unhappy following a review, you can refer your concerns to the UK Information Commissioner (ICO).

The ICO is the independent regulator for data protection law within the UK, and responsible for promoting and enforcing data protection rights. Their website is www.ico.org.uk which contains further details on how they can be contacted for advice.

Bear in mind, the Information Governance Unit and ICO can only review whether you have received all the information to which you are entitled under the SAR process. If you are unhappy with the

nature of the information you have received, i.e. how the service has acted, you should progress such concerns through the Council's complaints process.

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www.edinburgh.gov.uk/downloads/file/22748/gdpr_record_of_processing

If you would like to know more about data protection, or your information rights in general, the Information Commissioner's Office is responsible for promoting and enforcing the General Data Protection Regulation and the Data Protection Act 2018 and can also provide general advice regarding your information rights. In addition to the information online, they also have a telephone helpline, 0303 123 1113, which is charged at a local rate.

Yours sincerely

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