

10th October 2022

Mr Ian Kermode
Court View Chambers
14 Albert Street
Douglas
IM1 2QA

Dear Mr Kermode

REQUEST UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2015
REFERENCE NUMBER: IM4328471

Thank you for your request dated 27th September 2022.

You asked for:

Please can you confirm the following as at 1st September 2022 :

1. How many persons worked for Manx Radio (including presenters, technicians, administrators and accounts workers)?
2. How many of such persons were employees?
3. How many of such persons were self-employed?
4. How many of such persons were part of the News team?
5. What was the total remuneration paid to all persons (including employees and self-employed) who worked for Manx Radio during the financial year 2021-2022?
6. What was the total remuneration paid to all persons (including employees and self-employed) who worked in the News team during that financial year?
7. What was the total IOM Government financial support given to Manx Radio during that financial year?

Response to your request:

While Schedule 1 of the Freedom of Information Act 2015 references Manx Radio as a public authority for the purposes of the Act, it has limited application and states:

"This Act applies only in respect of information held by Radio Manx Limited for purposes other than those of journalism, art or literature."

This is generally known as the Schedule 1 derogation. As the information requested relates directly to Manx Radio's output, journalistic and creative activities it falls outside of the scope of the Freedom of Information Act and no information will be disclosed.

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Manx Radio's annual report is publicly available and contains details of the financial support given to Manx Radio during 2021/22. It is available on our website or by following this link: [6329eb8ab334d.pdf \(ajircdn.com\)](https://www.manxradio.com/6329eb8ab334d.pdf)

Your right to request a review

If you are unhappy with this response to your Freedom of Information request, you may ask us to carry out an internal review of the response, by completing a complaint form and submitting it electronically to foi@manxradio.com or by delivery/post to FOI at Manx Radio, Broadcasting House, Douglas Head, Douglas, IM1 5BW. An electronic version of the complaint form can be found at www.gov.im/foireview. Your review request should explain why you are dissatisfied with this response, and should be made as soon as practicable. We will respond as soon as the review has been concluded.

If you are not satisfied with the result of the review, you then have the right to appeal to the Information Commissioner for a decision on:

- 1 Whether we have responded to your request for information in accordance with Part 2 of the Freedom of Information Act; or
- 2 Whether we are justified in refusing to give you the information requested.

In response to an application for review, the Information Commissioner may, at any time, attempt to resolve a matter by negotiation, conciliation, mediation or another form of alternative dispute resolution and will have regard to any outcome of this in making any subsequent decision.

More detailed information on your rights to review is on the Information Commissioner's website at: www.inforights.im.

Further information about Freedom of Information requests can be found www.gov.im/foi.

Yours sincerely



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