

GREATER LONDON AUTHORITY

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(By email)

Our Ref: MGLA140720-7896

3 August 2020

Dear [REDACTED]

Thank you for your request for information which the Greater London Authority (GLA) received on 14 July 2020. Your request has been dealt with under the Freedom of Information Act 2000

You requested:

I notice that the Mayors office is one of the supporters listed in the announcement today that London Fashion Week will go ahead on the 17th of September, please could you release all documents relating to Covid and in particular safety of visitors. I am seeking clarity on what guidance has been provided to the GLA from the BFC for processes and protocols allowing them to provide a safe environment and what assurances you have received relating to social distancing measures that will be put in place.

Our response to your request is as follows:

The GLA does not hold information within the scope of your request.

Throughout the COVID-19 crisis the British Fashion Council has kept the GLA updated verbally about the measures taken to deliver London Fashion Week safely, for example by delivering events to date online. The GLA has produced general guidance for event organisers, which gathers useful links published by those who are responsible for issuing advice on how to make public events COVID-safe, including the Government and London boroughs. This guidance can be found at <https://www.london.gov.uk/coronavirus/re-opening-london-safely/guidance-events-during-covid-19> and has been shared with British Fashion Council.

You might find it more useful to approach the British Fashion Council directly regarding the answer to your questions, if you have not already done so.

If you have any further questions relating to this matter, please contact me, quoting the reference MGLA140720-7896.

Yours sincerely

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Information Governance Officer

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<https://www.london.gov.uk/about-us/governance-and-spending/sharing-our-information/freedom-information>