

# GREATER LONDON AUTHORITY

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(By email)

Our Ref: MGLA050619-4119

6 September 2019

Dear [REDACTED]

Thank you for your request for information which the GLA received on 5 June 2019. Your request has been dealt with under the Environment Information Regulations (EIR) 2004.

You asked for;

1. *All documents pertaining to planning applications for the gas works site in Southall, west London, between 2005-2012*
2. *Environmental statements pertaining to planning applications for the gas works site in Southall between 2005-2012*
3. *Minutes of meetings between Mayor Boris Johnson and National Grid in that period*
4. *Minutes of meetings between Mayor Boris Johnson and his planning advisers pertaining to Southall gas works in that period*
5. *All documents pertaining to Mayor Boris Johnson's decision to call in 'special powers' to overturn Ealing decision to refuse planning permission on the site.*

Our response to your request is as follows:

The GLA holds a volume of information within scope of part 1 and part 2 of your request and I am in the process of uploading this information to our disclosure log on the link below. The Environmental statements consist of three volumes. I note that LB Ealing made these available for inspection at their office due to their file size and I am unable to add the documents to the below link in their entirety so I will upload the contents pages and if there are any sections you require then please let me know. Alternatively, if you do need the full volumes then I will look at the best way to get these sent to you.

<https://www.london.gov.uk/about-us/governance-and-spending/sharing-our-information/freedom-information/foi-disclosure-log/eir-southall-gas-works-site>

There is some information we are examining whether the exception to disclose at Regulation 12 (5)(e) applies (Confidentiality of commercial or industrial information), and we hope to have a final position on this next week.

Further information we hold on file and information you may find of interest is publicly available. Please see annex for links.

In relation to part 5 of your request, all the documents relating to the decision are on the website:

<https://www.london.gov.uk/WHAT-WE-DO/PLANNING/PLANNING-APPLICATIONS-AND-DECISIONS/public-hearings/southall-gas-works-public>

We do not hold information in scope of part 3 and part 4 of your request.

If you have any further questions relating to this matter, please contact me, quoting the reference at the top of this letter.

Yours sincerely



**Information Governance Officer**

If you are unhappy with the way the GLA has handled your request, you may complain using the GLA's FOI complaints and internal review procedure, available at:

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

## **Annex**

- <https://ealing.cmis.uk.com/ealing/Meetings/tabid/70/ctl/ViewMeetingPublic/mid/397/Meeting/4334/Committee/207/Default.aspx>
- [https://www.london.gov.uk/sites/default/files/PAWS/media\\_id\\_134900/southall\\_gasworks\\_report.pdf](https://www.london.gov.uk/sites/default/files/PAWS/media_id_134900/southall_gasworks_report.pdf) [Stage 1 report original]
- [https://www.london.gov.uk/sites/default/files/PAWS/media\\_id\\_137171/southall\\_gasworks\\_initial\\_representation.pdf](https://www.london.gov.uk/sites/default/files/PAWS/media_id_137171/southall_gasworks_initial_representation.pdf) [Acknowledgement of receipt of application letter]
- <https://pam.ealing.gov.uk/online-applications/applicationDetails.do?activeTab=documents&keyVal=ZZZW7BJMTA237>
- <https://www.london.gov.uk/what-we-do/planning/planning-applications-and-decisions/planning-application-search/southall-gas>
- [https://www.whatdotheyknow.com/request/air\\_quality\\_southall\\_gas\\_pressur](https://www.whatdotheyknow.com/request/air_quality_southall_gas_pressur)
- <https://www.london.gov.uk/about-us/governance-and-spending/sharing-our-information/freedom-information/foi-disclosure-log/foi-southall-gasworks>
- <https://modgov.hillingdon.gov.uk/ieListDocuments.aspx?CId=123&MId=583&Ver=4>
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