GREATER LONDON AUTHORITY

(By email)

Our Ref: MGLA010719-6264

22 July 2019

Dear

Thank you for your request for information which the Greater London Authority (GLA) received on 29 June 2019 concerning cost of running the Night Czar's team. Your request has been dealt with under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

You requested:

How much does it cost per year to run the night czars team? How many people work in that department?

The Night Czar does not have a team or a dedicated department. The 24 Hour London programme sits within the GLA's Culture and Creative Industries Unit. In addition to the Night Czar, there are two posts dedicated to delivering the 24 Hour London programme: The Night Czar's Personal Assistant in the Mayor's Office team and the 24 Hour London Policy and Research Officer in the Culture and Creative Industries Unit. Four further posts in the Culture and Creative Industries Unit support the 24 Hour London programme, as part of a wider set of responsibilities. They contribute to: the delivery of the Mayor's Vision for London as a 24 Hour City; delivery of the London Night Time Commission's 'Think Night' report's recommendations; running a programme of support for, and engagement with, boroughs and businesses; and managing casework for night time venues that are at risk of closure.

If you have any further questions relating to this matter, please contact me, quoting the reference MGLA010719-6264

Yours sincerely

Information Governance Officer

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