

GREATER LONDON AUTHORITY

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(By email)

Our Ref: MGLA040319-6904

22 March 2019

Dear [REDACTED]

Thank you for your request for information which the GLA received on 1 March 2019. Your request has been dealt with under the Freedom of Information Act (2000)

Our response to your request is as follows:

- *The total cost incurred by the Mayor of London for the first phase of the Grenfell Tower Inquiry.*

Please refer to the response given to request number MGLA030119-2187:

<https://www.london.gov.uk/about-us/governance-and-spending/sharing-our-information/freedom-information/foi-disclosure-log/foi-grenfell-tower-inquiry-legal-fees>

- *The cost so far incurred by the Mayor of London for the second phase of the Inquiry.*

The following legal costs were incurred by the GLA in January 2019 instructing Counsel to advise and represent the Mayor of London for Phase 2 of the Grenfell Inquiry: £366.67 + VAT.

TfL's internal legal team provides legal advice and support to the GLA for the Grenfell Inquiry through shared services arrangements. We do not record costs incurred by TfL's internal legal team for these purposes.

These figures relate to the Grenfell Tower Inquiry costs only. They do not include expenditure on support for the Grenfell community, such as funding for local businesses, a donation for local school children, and affordable housing grant.

In addition to legal costs, the GLA has employed a Grenfell Response Policy and Programme Manager since February 2018 on £53,822 (Grade 10).

- *An estimation for total costs to be incurred by the Mayor of London for the second phase of the Inquiry.*

The GLA does not hold the information that you have requested. The GLA does not hold an estimate of costs as the full details of Phase 2 of the Inquiry are yet to be determined.

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

Yours sincerely

Paul Robinson
Information Governance Officer

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