24 November 2023





Dear

Re: Freedom of Information request ref CA270

Thank you for your request for information received on 16 November 2023. The response is given below:

Request

Has HyperionDev/CoGrammar ever been contracted by the authority to provide a service? (for example, a digital bootcamp) - What was provided and what were the subject matters of these courses or services? (please give exact names of the subject matters of the courses, training or bootcamps) - What were the contract start/end dates? - How many people were given places on these courses? - How many people finished the courses? - What was the allocated amount to be paid by the authority to CoGrammar/HyperionDev for this service? Please state any tiers/markers for payment. - What was the total amount paid by the authority to CoGrammar/HyperionDev for this service? Please state any tiers/markers for payment. - Which body was providing the money which was paid, or intended to be paid, to CoGrammar/HyperionDev? i.e. who was paying for these courses? - According to the authority, did CoGrammar/HyperionDev fail to provide the service agreed? Please give details. - Has any legal action been taken? Please detail. (Where there are legal limitations please name and detail your legal representative). - Please release the communications between HyperionDev/CoGrammar and the authority (such as the Head of Employment and Skills at the authority) in relation to this, including any pre-action letters, particularly where the authority had to give any reasoning for not paying HyperionDev/CoGrammar - What processes did you use before or since the original agreement, to make legitimacy checks on HyperionDev/CoGrammar as an educational provider? - What contractual or procedural processes were employed to stop malpractice or attempted fraud by HyperionDev/CoGrammar? - Please explain any decision process for using HyperionDev/CoGrammar given the company was not regulated by an educational body in the UK.

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Response

Cambridgeshire and Peterborough Combined Authority has never contracted with HyperionDev/CoGrammar for Skills Bootcamp delivery.

I hope this information is helpful but if you are unhappy with the service you have received in relation to your request and wish to make a complaint or request a review, you should write to us via our contact us email address: democratic.services@cambridgeshirepeterborough-ca.gov.uk or write a letter to Complaints, Cambridgeshire and Peterborough Combined Authority, 2nd Floor, Pathfinder House, St Mary's Street, Huntingdon, Cambs PE29 3TN within 40 days of the date of this e-mail.

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF, or via their website: https://ico.org.uk/

Generally, the ICO will not undertake a review or make a decision on a request until the internal review process has been completed.

Yours sincerely

Sue HallData Protection Officer



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