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[Name Redacted]

04th August 2011

Dear [Name Redacted]

Freedom of Information – Request for Information

With regards to your recent enquiry for information held by the Authority under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act. Please find the information you requested below with reference in the box to your original enquiry for clarity where multiple answers are required.

Details of Your Request

Details of the lease and any planning application of the Golf Course submitted to the Council.

The response to your request as follows:

Planning applications are now publicly available online at <http://planning.tamworth.gov.uk/northgate/planningexplorer/generalsearch.aspx> there are currently two which are 0341/2007 and 0323/2005.

With regards to the lease agreement for Tamworth Golf Course, as this is a legal document we will not provide a hardcopy but you are welcome to peruse it at our office by prior arrangement.

Please let us know if this is acceptable, and if so could you suggest some dates and times suitable to yourself and we can arrange for a member of staff to meet your requirements.

The request now has been put on hold until I receive a response from you, if no response is received after 3 months the request will be closed down without further notice.

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Details of Tamworth Borough Council's internal review and complaints procedure are attached, in accordance with the provisions of the Act.

Yours Sincerely

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27th September 2011

Dear {name Redacted}

Freedom of Information Act – Tamworth Golf Course

Thank you for visiting our offices on 15th September to view the lease agreement of Tamworth Golf Course and I shall pass your kind comments on how you were received onto the person involved.

In an attempt to answer your further enquiries fully, I have cut and pasted the relevant parts of your email and addressed them separately for clarity:

1) Information on the planning application and any subsequent variations.

We publish all available documentation online at
<http://planning.tamworth.gov.uk/northgate/planningexplorer/generalsearch.aspx>

Recorded applications are	0635/2011
	0482/2008
	0250/2008
	0341/2007
	2018/2007
	0323/2005
	0700/2002
	0334/2002
	0185/1999
	T23971

This will include council papers submitted to the Planning Committee with the exception of confidential matters discussed and are exempt from disclosure under Section 12A of the Local Government Act 1972.

Information may be redacted where there is a legislative requirement to do so, for example personal information under the Data Protection Act 1998.

2) Sums of money which Tamworth Borough Council would receive from Tamworth Golf Centre Limited.

The rent and other financial arrangements are contained within the Schedules of the lease and withheld under Section 43(2) – Commercial Interests of the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Public Interest Test

This test is carried out where we are obliged to do so under certain exemptions of which S43(2) is one of them, it balances the right to access information against the right to withhold such information.

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