Smith, Sam

From: Worth, Helen
Sent: 18 May 2022 12:56
To: Moorcroft, Amanda; Floyd, Alexandra
Cc: Evans, Sam
Subject: Mr Chris Bury

Hi Both

I hope you are well.

I am dealing with a subject access request submitted by Mr Bury in which he has asked the following:

Provide me with copies of all authorisations regarding the direct monitoring/surveillance and sharing of data that has taken place regarding me & my private life including of social media, news article comments etc.

My proposed response to this element of his SAR is:

'Herefordshire Council processes information about individuals in order to deliver services as set out in our privacy notices on the website: (Link here). Herefordshire Council Communications Teams also monitor publically available information on social media sites and within news articles which includes comments made about the organisation and its staff members, by members of the public. As this information is in the public domain there is no authorisation process required. '

Are you happy with my proposed response? I believe he is getting at the fact we monitor his social media prescence because he has also asked for a copy of our RIPA policy. I don't know a lot about RIPA but I believe information made public by the data subject isnt covered under RIPA....

Sam E – I have copied you in for information only.

Kind Regards
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