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Dear [REDACTED]

Freedom of Information Act 2000 – Information request (ref: FOI_18-019)

We have now considered your request of 19 January 2018 for information relating to university policy on student sex workers.

Our response is on page 2 of this letter, together with a copy of your request.

On this occasion it is not possible to provide all the requested information. In line with your rights under section 1(1)(a) of the Act to be informed whether information is held, we confirm that the University does not possess any specific policies relating to students' participation in the sex industry.

We hope this information will meet your requirements, however if you are not satisfied you have the right of appeal. If you wish to appeal, please set out in writing your reasons for appealing and send to the above address. You must appeal within 60 calendar days of the date of this letter. Any appeal received after that date will not be considered nor acknowledged. This policy has been reviewed and approved by the Information Commissioner's Office.

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Yours sincerely

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Response to Freedom of Information Act 2000 request (FOI_18-019)

I would like to know if there are any specific policies relating to students' participation in the sex industry

[Information not held - s.1(1)(a), Freedom of Information Act]

The University does not have specific policies relating to students' participation in the sex industry.

I would like to know what processes are carried out by a member of staff if a student was to disclose working in the sex industry

Where such a disclosure is made to an Adviser in the Student Support Service, appropriate safeguarding measures would be undertaken to help ensure the safety of the individual or other students affected (if any) by their involvement. Advisers would attempt to establish the reasons why the student is involved in the industry and offer appropriate advice and support to address any concerns raised.

I would like to know the procedures undertaken if a student was discovered to be working in the sex industry

Our response is the same as for the previous question.