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Our ref: R00127

Freedom of Information Request – Imperial College’s Wye Campus

Your request to SEEDA is:

“Imperial College says that it wrote to you early in 2008 asking whether you could suggest an appropriate public-interest tenant for its Wye campus. Please provide a copy of your response to Imperial College on this issue. Please also provide copies of all other correspondence with any other party, from January 2008 to today, concerning the use of Imperial's sites in Wye.”

Information Requested

SEEDA has conducted an extensive search for the letter from Imperial College you refer to in your FOI request, but we regret that we are unable to find any letter from Imperial in the time frame you have specified; from January 2008 to date. Nor have we found references to any other correspondence about the Wye Campus. To allow us to address the issues substantively it would be helpful if we could see a copy of the letter you have recently received from Imperial College to help us get under any concerns you or other partners may have. I would also welcome the chance to discuss your request in more detail, if you would like to call me on my telephone number below. I think this would allow SEEDA to appreciate your concerns, and answer your queries more effectively, than a formal FOI response, which unfortunately has been unable to provide the information you seek.