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Freedom of Information Officer

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Ref: FOI/January 2019/ Eva Pereira

By email to eva@animaljusticeproject.com

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Dear Ms Pereira

Your request for information received on 3 January 2019 has been dealt with under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA).

You asked:

The information I wish to request is as follows:

1. By species: How many animals were used in research by "The Public Authority" from January 1st 2018 to December 31st 2018?
2. Minutes, reports and correspondence of any Animal Welfare & Ethical Review Board ("AWERB"), formerly known as the Ethical Review Committee ("ERC"), or sub-committee at University level, including but not limited to departmental committees, from 2018, where these relate to experimentation or other work involving captive live animals, in addition to any guidance issued by these committees at any time if currently in use. For the avoidance of doubt the term 'committee' is used in broad definition and is inclusive of boards, groups or similarly natured structural enterprises.

University Response

1. 0, staff and students are not engaged in animal experimentation at Middlesex University.
2. Please see attachments to this correspondence which addresses your query.

I trust this satisfies your request sufficiently. Under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, you have the right to complain about the University's response to your request for information. If you have such a complaint, you may contact Mr David Maplas, Director of Student Affairs, Middlesex University, Hendon campus, London NW4 4BT, tel: 020 8411 5830, d.malpas@mdx.ac.uk within 40 days of the date of this letter for a review of the University's decision. If you remain unsatisfied with the outcome of that complaint, you may seek further recourse by lodging an appeal with the Information Commissioner.

Yours sincerely

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