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Freedom of Information Officer

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Dear Mr Schwartz

Your request for information received on 13 April 2019 has been dealt with under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA).

You asked:

1. How many reported incidents of drink spiking happened at any alcohol-serving premises on your campus, in the last ten academic years, excluding this year? Can I have the numbers for every academic year please.

University Response

Under the University's Student Conduct and Discipline Procedure a reported incident involving drink spiking would be investigated under the more general category of physical misconduct or possibly sexual misconduct should it be a factor in that type of incident.

However we do not have a specific category for drink spiking so we do not hold the information that you have requested.

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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