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From: Foi <foi@abdn.ac.uk>

Subject: RE: FOI request - CSSA documentation

Date: 27 July 2023 at 13:41:04 BST

To: [REDACTED]

Dear [REDACTED]

Your request has now been considered under the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002, 'the Act'. Please find your response below.

1. Please provide all documentation the university holds about the Chinese Students and Scholars Association (CSSA). This is a student group at your university controlled by the Chinese embassy.

Because AUSA is an independent organisation from the University of Aberdeen, we do not hold any data on this, thus we are advising in line with the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act, Section 17 – Information Not Held – that we do not hold this information.

Should you be dissatisfied with this response, you have the right under the Act to request a review. A request for review must be made within 40 working days of the date of this reply. It must include your name and address for correspondence and specify the request for information and the grounds for dissatisfaction with the decision. Please send your request for review to our mailbox, foi@abdn.ac.uk. The University will respond to your request for a review within 20 working days of receipt of your request.

If you are unhappy with the outcome of the University's internal review, you have the right to appeal to the Scottish Information Commissioner within six months of the date of receipt of the University's review notice. Details on how to make an appeal to the Commissioner are available at www.itspublicknowledge.info/Appeal. Should you remain dissatisfied with the Commissioner's decision, you have a right of appeal to the Court of Session on a point of law

Yours Sincerely,

[REDACTED]
Information Governance Team