



**IN THE FIRST-TIER TRIBUNAL
GENERAL REGULATORY CHAMBER
INFORMATION RIGHTS**

EA/2021/0367

BETWEEN:

SANDWELL METROPOLITAN BOROUGH COUNCIL

Appellant

AND

INFORMATION COMMISSIONER

Respondent

CONSENT ORDER

Pursuant to rule 37(1) of the Tribunal Procedure (First-tier Tribunal) (General Regulatory Chamber) Rules 2009, on the application of both parties and with no representations being made by the original requestor

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED BY CONSENT THAT:

1. The appeal is dismissed.
2. However, it now appears that in respect of the request considered in IC-137005-R2C1 the Council issued its response to the requester on 12 November 2021 but, despite a request from the Commissioner to do so, omitted to copy its response to the Commissioner.
3. The Commissioner shall within 14 days of the date of this order amend his website to refer to these appeal proceedings as being concluded by way of consent order.
4. The Council need take no further steps.
5. There be no order to costs.

**Tribunal Judge Lynn Griffin
3 February 2022**