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 your ref:
 date: 5th October 2009

Dear Mr Robertson,

Re: Response to the request for information.

I write further to your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) 2000.

You have specifically requested the following:

I would like the statistics of the different age groups that work in Waltham Forest Council. The age groups can be divided up as deemed best but could be (under 16) (16-19) (20-24) (25-29) (40-44) (45-49) (50+) (60-70) (70+) this should be placed in context to the amount of staff working in your department.

I can confirm that the Council holds the information that you have requested and the Council's response is set out in the table below:

London Borough of Waltham Forest - Age banding on 30 June 2009

Personnel Area	16 to 24	25 to 39	40 to 49	50 to 64	65 and over	Grand Total
Adult and Community Services	15	238	448	622	42	1365
Children Services	17	268	363	400	22	1070
Environmental Services	16	130	183	174	9	512
Finance	4	120	173	185	10	492
Governance and Law	1	18	25	20	1	65
People, Policy and Performance	4	46	39	28	1	118
Grand Total	57	820	1231	1429	85	3622

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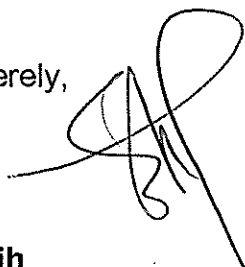
I trust that this satisfies your request sufficiently however, if you require further information, please do not hesitate to contact me. Under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, you have the right to request a review of the Council's response to your request for information. If you wish to request a review, you may contact the Corporate Information Officer within 28 days of the date of this letter at:

Corporate Information Officer
Room 1
Waltham Forest Town Hall
E17 4JF

Tel: 020 8496 4334

If you are dissatisfied with the outcome of that review, you may seek further recourse by lodging an appeal with the Information Commissioner.

Yours Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'S. Orjih', written over a faint circular stamp or watermark.

Shirley Orjih
for Director of Governance & Law