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Elizabeth  
by email

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Dear Elizabeth

**Council Meeting – 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2020**

It is regretful that you were unable to attend yesterday's council meeting to ask your question, but I have taken the opportunity to provide you with a written response.

*“With respect to the Leader’s statement about the almost three-year long investigation into a Charity that supports those suffering from abuse, is he saying all complainants received full copies of the final report but that each full copy was redacted to show only those sections relating to each complainant, or was the same redacted full copy given to all complainants?”*

All complainants have not received the same ‘redacted full copy’ of the report.

All complainants that requested a copy of the investigation’s findings have received a redacted version of the full report that safeguarded the anonymity of each complainant and their data rights. The redactions may be different in different copies because the information each individual is legally entitled to may be different.

I hope that the above information is helpful.

Yours sincerely,

**Councillor Chris Read**  
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