

Data Subject Access Requests

Section 5 of the Data Protection Act 2002 provides that, upon making a written request and paying a fee, an individual is entitled to be given a copy of personal data which a data controller holds about them. Such data must form part of an accessible record or be held in a relevant filing system.

Personal data is data that relates to a living individual who can be identified from it, or from it and other information. This may include any expression of opinion about an individual and the intentions of the data controller in relation to that individual.

The Financial Supervision Commission is a data controller. The individual is a data subject. The request is known as a data subject access request.

There are certain circumstances in which data may not be released, such as, if the data identifies another individual, if it is publicly available by statute, or if the release may inhibit the prevention or detection of crime.

Full details of the obligations of data controllers and any exemptions from these provisions may be found in the Data Protection Act 2002 of the Isle of Man which is administered by the Office of the Data Protection Supervisor, www.gov.im/odps, telephone +44(0)1624-661030.