

Reference: 01632610

Information Requests information.requests@ofcom.org.uk

30 June 2023

Freedom of Information request: Right to know request

Thank you for your request for information concerning complaints about IX Wireless. Your request was received on 19 June 2023 and we have considered it under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (the "FOI Act").

Your request

'Ease forward me all.inrormation re complaints about this company'

Our response

We can confirm that we hold information falling within scope of your request, however we consider that disclosure of this information is exempt under section 44 of the FOI Act. Section 44 of the FOI Act exempts the disclosure of information which is prohibited by another enactment. In this case, we are prohibited under section 393 of the Communications Act 2003 from disclosing information which relates to a business (in this case, IX Wireless), which we have obtained in exercising our powers, unless we have the consent of that business or one of the statutory gateways for disclosure under section 393(2) is met, neither of which applies here. Section 44 is an absolute exemption and does not require a public interest test.

If you have any further queries, then please send them to <u>information.requests@ofcom.org.uk</u> quoting the reference number above in any future communications.

Yours sincerely

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If you are unhappy with the response you have received in relation to your request for information and/or consider that your request was refused without a reason valid under the law, you may ask for an internal review. If you ask us for an internal review of our decision, it will be subject to an independent review within Ofcom.

The following outcomes are possible:

- \bullet the original decision is upheld; or
- \bullet the original decision is reversed or modified.

Timing

Ofcom Riverside House 2a Southwark Bridge Road London SE1 9HA Switchboard: +44 (0)20 7981 3000 or +44 (0)300 123 3000 If you wish to exercise your right to an internal review **you should contact us within two months of the date of this letter.** There is no statutory deadline for responding to internal reviews and it will depend upon the complexity of the case. However, we aim to conclude all such reviews within 20 working days, and up to 40 working days in exceptional cases. We will keep you informed of the progress of any such review. If you wish to request an internal review, you should contact information.requests@ofcom.org.uk

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. Further information about this, and the internal review process can be found on the Information Commissioner's Office here. Alternatively, the Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office Wycliffe House Water Lane Wilmslow Cheshire SK9 5AF