

Thank you for your request for a Birth certificate.

Unfortunately we have to refuse your request under the Freedom of Information (FOI) as the information that you have requested is available elsewhere. Section 21 of the FOI Act allows us to do this. Where the information is published elsewhere (in this case available through the Leicester City Council website) then the Council is allowed to make reasonable charges and does not have to provide it for free under FOI.

You can obtain a copy of birth certificate upon payment of £10 through the Council website at:

<http://www.leicester.gov.uk/contact-us/online-services/online-payments-service/duplicate-registration-certificates/>

More information can be found here: <http://www.leicester.gov.uk/your-council-services/council-and-democracy/registration-service/copy-certs/> should you not be able to pay online.

I hope that this information is helpful and explains how to obtain a copy of the certificate.

Best wishes

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