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To: [REDACTED]
Subject: FOI-17-0940 - Council Tax Reduction Scheme
Date: 11 July 2017 09:34:50
Attachments: [Further Information - Right to Review & Appeal.pdf](#)

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Thank you for your information request of 28 June 2017. Aberdeen City Council (ACC) has completed the necessary search for the information requested

I am looking for the following information under FOISA, which I believe you hold:

Because of the changes to the scheme which came in on 1 April 2017 under what is known as the “Low Income Household Exemption”, i.e. for those people in bands E-H on a low income.

These are people who have gained eligibility only from 1 April 2017 based on The Council Tax Reduction (Scotland) Amendment (No.2) Regulations 2016 the <http://www.legislation.gov.uk/ssi/2016/253/contents/made>.

They have applied for their new entitlement earlier than the 1 April 2017.

I appreciate that you may not be able to break the data of the number of applications, awarded, and refused, however if the information can detail how many have been awarded at the date of this email (or the date a report is extracted) that would be appreciated.

I request the information for the first 3 months of the financial year.

1) With regard to the Council Tax Reduction Scheme, I am looking to find out the number of households in your council area who have

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| a) applied for and | - | 67 |
| b) been awarded or | - | 34 |
| c) refused Council Tax Reduction | - | 33 |

We hope this helps with your request.

Yours sincerely,

Information Compliance Team

INFORMATION ABOUT THE HANDLING OF YOUR REQUEST

ACC handled your request for information in accordance with the provisions of the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002. Please refer to the attached PDF for more information about

your rights under FOISA.

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