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To: [REDACTED]
Subject: FOI-17-1186 - Pub Relief Business Rates
Date: 15 August 2017 14:27:09
Attachments: [Further Information - Right to Review & Appeal.pdf](#)

Dear [REDACTED],

Thank you for your information request of 14 August 2017. Aberdeen City Council (ACC) has completed the necessary search for the information requested.

I would like to submit an FOI request regarding the Business Rates Relief for pubs announced in the March 2017 Budget, of £1000 for pubs with a rateable value under £100,000.

<https://www.gov.uk/apply-for-business-rate-relief/pubs>

Regarding the Scheme, I would like to know:

- (a) Whether your council has already begun distributing to local pubs the funding made available for 2017-18 as part of the Scheme?**
- (b) If the answer to (a) is yes, how much (in £s) has already been allocated to local pubs?**
- (c) If the answer to (a) is yes, what are the names of the pubs that have received relief?**
- (d) If the answer to (a) is no, why not?**

According to the link you referred to in your request this applies to pubs in England only.

ACC is unable to provide you with information on **Business Rates Pub Relief** as it is not held by ACC. In order to comply with its obligations under the terms of Section 17 of the FOISA, ACC hereby gives notice that this information is not held by it.

We hope this helps with your request.

Yours sincerely,

Gail Halfyard

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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