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**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** FOI-17-1323 - Right to Buy Scheme  
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**Attachments:** [Further Information - Right to Review & Appeal.pdf](#)

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Dear [REDACTED],

Thank you for your clarified information request of 18 September 2017. Aberdeen City Council (ACC) has completed the necessary search for the information requested.

**The total number of council houses sold off under Right To Buy in your local area. The time period is essentially all time that can be provided under the Right to Buy scheme.**

Sales under Right to Buy since 01-April-1998 to date are 7460.

Sales up to 31-March-1998 are no longer available due to a change in recording systems.

ACC is unable to provide you with information on **the total number of council houses sold under Right To Buy prior to 1 April 1998** 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.

**An estimate of how many of these homes are now owned by private landlords.**

ACC does not hold this information. To explain this, it is not possible to provide an estimate as we have no way of knowing whether the homeowner is now a private landlord or whether they have sold the property to a private landlord.

ACC is unable to provide you with information on **an estimate of the number of these homes are now owned by private landlords** 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,

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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