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To: [REDACTED]
Subject: EIR-17-1217 - Fly Tipping
Date: 13 September 2017 08:18:55
Attachments: [Further Information - Right to Review & Appeal.pdf](#)
[EIR-17-1217 - Flytipping data 2015-2016.xlsx](#)
[EIR-17-1217 - Flytipping data 2016-2017.xlsx](#)

Dear [REDACTED],

Thank you for your information request of 21 August 2017. Aberdeen City Council (ACC) has completed the necessary search for the information requested.

Please would you provide me with a list of all incidences of fly-tipping in 2015/16 and 2016/17.

For each record, please state:

a) an address, postcode or location data (e.g. lat/long pair)

Please see attached files.

b) a description of the type of rubbish dumped

The majority of fly tipped wastes over the last two years are Household items including white goods, TVs, furniture, general appliances (kettles, microwaves) and mattresses.

We are unable to provide you with information on the type of rubbish dumped for each line of data due to the way it is held by Aberdeen City Council. To explain this, the type of rubbish dumped is recorded along with the personal details of the person who advised us of the rubbish (i.e. Mr X advised us that there was a mattress dumped outside their house at XXX). We would need to go through each line of data on the attached spreadsheets, identify the type of rubbish and redact (remove) it. We consider that to do so would be a large amount of work and, as such, would be manifestly unreasonable to provide. In order to comply with its obligations under the terms of Regulation 13 of the EIRs, ACC hereby gives notice that we are refusing your request under the terms of Regulation 10(4)(b) – Manifestly Unreasonable - of the EIRs.

You may wish to consider reducing the scope of your request. For example, are there any particular entries on the attached spreadsheets you are most interested in?

c) the date it was reported or located (whichever is easier for you to provide)

Please see attached files.

Please could you also indicate if possible whether the locations in a) are in a National Park or Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty.

All fly-tipping incidents are within the Aberdeen City boundary, none of which is classified as either a National Park or Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty.

We hope this helps with your request.

Yours sincerely,

Grant Webster
Information Compliance Officer

INFORMATION ABOUT THE HANDLING OF YOUR REQUEST

As the information which you requested is environmental information, as defined under Regulation 2(1) of the Environmental Information (Scotland) Regulations 2004 (the EIRs), ACC considered that it was exempt from release through FOISA, and must therefore give you notice that we are refusing your request under Section 39(2) of FOISA (Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002). However, you have a separate right to access the information which you have requested under Regulation 5 of the EIRs, under which ACC has handled your request. Please refer to the attached PDF for more information about your rights under the EIRs.

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