From: Foi Enquiries

To:

 Subject:
 FOI-17-1305 - Car Clocking

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Attachments: Further Information - Right to Review & Appeal.pdf

Dear

Thank you for your information request of 11 September 2017. Aberdeen City Council (ACC) has completed the necessary search for the information requested.

TRADING STANDARDS FOI

Illegal car clocking/ vehicle mileage adjustment is in the news at the moment as such could you answer the following questions.

1) How many cases of car clocking has your council investigated in the last 5 years?

2017 - 0

2016 - 0

2015 - 0

2014 - 0

2013 - 2

2) Of those cases, how many were dealt with by prosecuting the suspected offenders?

3) How many of those prosecutions were successful?

0.

- **4)** In total, how many vehicles were involved in the successfully prosecuted cases? Not applicable. Please see our answer above.
- 5) What is your council's policy for alerting innocent members of the public and motor trade to vehicles the council has successfully proven have been "clocked"?

 No policy held.

ACC is unable to provide you with information on **your council's policy for alerting innocent members of the public and motor trade to vehicles the council has successfully proven have been "clocked"** 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.

6) Can you provide confirmation in respect of question 5 of the type of action you have taken to warn people about the vehicles you have discovered to have been clocked? For example, publishing vehicle details, alerting Auto Trader or other specialist publications; registering data with HPI and other mileage data services.

Not applicable. Please see our response above.

7) Has the council or trading standards department seized any "clocked" vehicles over the past five years and subsequently destroyed them?

We hope this helps with your request.

Yours sincerely,

Grant Webster
Information Compliance Officer

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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