

**From:** Foi Enquiries  
**Sent:** 03 April 2019 15:40  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** EIR-19-0402 - Parking Fines  
**Attachments:** V2 - Further Information - Right to Review & Appeal.pdf

Dear [REDACTED],

Thank you for your information request of 18 March 2019. Aberdeen City Council (ACC) has completed the necessary search for the information requested. Our response is now detailed below.

**1) How many appeals were received in each of the last five financial years (up to March 2018) in relation to Penalty Charge Notices (parking fines)?**

2013-14	11,752
2014-15	10,332
2015-16	9,202
2016-17	10,301
2017-18	10,273

**2) How many of the appeals received in each of the last five financial years (up to March 2018) were successful (i.e. the Penalty Charge Notice was subsequently cancelled)?**

We do not hold details of how many appeals were upheld. The figures below show the total number of PCN's which were cancelled in each of the years. PCN's can be cancelled for a variety of reasons including where an appeal is upheld.

2013-14	4,902
2014-15	3,984
2015-16	3,024
2016-17	3,965
2017-18	4,029

**3) How much money was generated for the council in each of the last five financial years (up to March 2018) through Penalty Charge Notices that were paid?**

The figures provided reflect the position as at 22 March 2019. Monies continue to be collected for PCN's which remain outstanding.

2013-14	£1,643,799.26
2014-15	£1,593,967.92
2015-16	£1,262,144.01
2016-17	£1,419,622.42
2017-18	£1,223,458.60

**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.

We hope this helps with your request.

Yours sincerely,

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