From: Foi Enquiries

To: Subject:

EIR-17-0279 - Microchipped Dogs

Date: 09 March 2017 09:05:24

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

Dear

Thank you for your information request of 16 February 2016. Aberdeen City Council (ACC) has completed the necessary search for the information requested.

On 6th April last year, Dogs Trust welcomed the introduction of compulsory microchipping of dogs by the Westminster, Wales and Scotland Governments, mirroring legislation introduced in Northern Ireland in 2012. Since then we continue our support to local authorities through promoting responsible dog ownership as well as the provision of free microchips.

With that in mind, would you please provide me with the following information:

1. Since April 6th 2016, overall how many notices have you served to owners for not having their dog microchipped?

None

2. Since April 6th 2016, how many fines have been issued after 21 days of serving notice to an owner due to not having their dog microchipped?

None

3. Since April 6th 2016, how much has the total number of the fines issued to owners for not having their dog microchipped amounted to?

None

4. Since April 6th 2016, overall how many notices have you served to owners for not having the correct details attached to their dog's microchip?

None

5. Since April 6th 2016, how many fines have been issued after 21 days of serving notice due to an owner not having the correct details attached to their dog's microchip?

None

6. Since April 6th 2016, how much has the total number of the fines issued due to owners not having the correct details attached to their dog's microchip amounted to?

None

7. How many fines in total have you issued to owners for not having a collar and tag on their dog under the Control of Dogs Order 1992 in each of the last five years?

None

8. How much has the total number of the fines issued due to owners not having a collar and tag on their dog under the Control of Dogs Order 1992 amounted to in each of the last five years?

None

We hope this helps with your request.

Yours sincerely,

Information Compliance Team

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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