From: Foi Enquiries

To: Subject:

EIR-17-0507 - Town & Country Planning (Scotland) Regulations

Date: 20 April 2017 10:24:40

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

Dear

Thank you for your information request of 28 March 2017. Aberdeen City Council (ACC) has completed the necessary search for the information requested.

Town and Country Planning (Control of Advertisements) (Scotland) Regulations 1984 \$14 & \$24

We would be obliged if you can provide us with the following details in regards to notices/Orders that have been made by Aberdeen City Council under the legislation listed above:

- a) Notices or Orders that remain extant as at 28th March 2017
- b) Notices or Orders that have been complied with and have monies owed to Aberdeen City Council as at 28th March 2017
- Notices or Orders that have invoices pending in respect of works carried out by or on behalf of Aberdeen City Council to resolve the matter as at 28th March 2017

If it is not possible for the details of outstanding monies to be confirmed we would be obliged if you can provide us with the following details:

d) all notices served or orders made by Aberdeen City Council, from 12th September 2016 to 28th March 2017 under the legislation listed above

When answering in the negative to any of the above, we would be obliged if you would confirm that you are doing so.

Wherever possible we would be grateful if the information could be prepared to include the following:

- reference numbers.
- addresses of the subjects the actions are served over.
- summary descriptions of the nature of the works/contravention.
- relevant dates.
- status of the action.
- amounts owed to the council (when available).

We do not require the personal data contained with these records. We would also prefer to receive this information in an electronic format, failing which in hard copy.

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The following information is given in response to your Freedom of Information request relating to :-

Town and Country Planning (Control of Advertisements) (Scotland) Regulations 1984 - S14 & S24

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Section of Act	Notices served from 12 th September 2016 to 28 th March 2017	Extant Notices at 28 th March 2017	Monies owed or Invoices pending at 28 th March 2017
14	No notices served	No extant Notices	None
24	See Below	See Below	None

New Notices

Address & Ref Numbers	Date of Service	Section of Act	Breach/Status
15 Union Street (Reference 120098)	3 rd August 2016	24	2 illuminated box signs either side of entrance. Notice required to be complied with by 23 rd November 2016. Direct action being considered once quote for cost of works received.
86 Queen's Road (Reference 137119)	7 th March 2017	24	Erection of advertisement board Notice requires to be complied with by 1 st May 2017.

Extant Notices

Address & Ref Numbers	Date of Service	Section of Act	Breach/Status
33 Union Street (Reference 115928)	28 th April 2014	24	Erection of fascia sign. Non-compliance with notice. Works being priced to comply with notice. Direct action being considered once quote for cost of works received.
			Erection of illuminated fascia sign.

50 Market Street (Reference 104148)	1 st March 2013	24	Notice to be complied with by 15 th June 2013. Direct action for removal of sign being considered.
150 Union Street (Reference 123648)	5 th September 2016	24	Erection of advertisement over entrance. Notice to be complied with by 10 th December 2016. Application to retain sign submitted and refused. Appeal against refusal in progress. Awaiting outcome of appeal.
189 Union Street (Reference 113311)	19 th May 2014	24	Erection of a number of signs without consent. Notice to be complied with by September 2014. Notice partially complied with by removal of one box sign.

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We hope this helps with your request.

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.

Yours sincerely,

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