

From: [Foi Enquiries](#)
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: FOI-17-0799 - Business Rates
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Attachments: [Further Information - Right to Review & Appeal.pdf](#)

Dear [REDACTED],

Thank you for your information request of 5 June 2017. Aberdeen City Council (ACC) has completed the necessary search for the information requested.

We are in need, please, of a list of all Businesses with current Rateable values between £100 and £15000 who have had small business rates relief put in place since and including 01/04/2017 who did not receive a rebate of ANY monies paid from the last valuation period (2010-2017), if possible please make addresses and Rateable values visible.

We wish to advise you that ACC regularly publishes information on business rates at the following link:
http://www.aberdeencity.gov.uk/business_trade/business_rates/bus_rates_statistics.asp.

This information is published and updated every 12 weeks.

Please note that, due to rates revaluation, every start date is recorded as 1 April 2017. We were required to 'end' any existing reliefs and re-enter with a start date of 1 April 2017 commensurate with revaluation and reflecting the appropriate level of relief dependent on the new rateable value from that date. We therefore do not hold data in relation to what was an existing case or what is a 'new' case as all start dates are 1 April 2017.

ACC is unable to provide you with information on **business rates relief put in place since and including 01/04/2017** 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.

As information on **business rates** is otherwise accessible on ACC's website at the link copied above, it is exempt from disclosure. In order to comply with its obligations under the terms of Section 16 of the FOISA, ACC hereby gives notice that we are refusing your request under the terms of Section 25(1) in conjunction with Section 25(3) - Information Otherwise Accessible - of the FOISA.

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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