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Ref: EIR / 1879

03 July 2018

Mr Tax Payers' Alliance

Email: research4@taxpayersalliance.com

Dear Mr

### **Environmental Information Regulations 2004 Request Mayor's Cars**

I refer to your EIR request as above and apologise for the fact that we can currently only supply the majority of the requested information for the 2017/18 year. Council will endeavour to obtain the requested information for the 2015/16 and 2016/17 years as soon as possible and request a short extension for the provision of this information.

#### **Request:**

1. How many cars your organisation has. Please also specify the make and model.
2. The cost of purchasing a car(s) during 2015/16, 2016/17 and 2017/18.
3. The cost of leasing a car(s) during 2015/16, 2016/17 and 2017/18.
4. The cost of fuel for a car(s) during 2015/16, 2016/17 and 2017/18.
5. The cost of purchasing a personalised number plate(s) during 2015/16, 2016/17 and 2017/18.
6. The costs associated with maintaining a car(s) during 2015/16, 2016/17 and 2017/18. This includes, but is not limited to, MOT, general service, insurance, and new tyres and parts.

#### **Response:**

1. We have 2 Cars within DCSDC Fleet both deployed on Civic Duties - Ford Vignale and Ford Mondeo)
2. Purchase - 2015/16 – Ford Vignale - £34,450

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3. Derry City and Strabane District Council currently do not have any leased vehicles within the Fleet although this option is currently being considered.
4. Fuel - 201/18 Vignale - £4,203.98 Mondeo - £492.63
5. 2 Personal Number Plates purchased 2017/18 - £600
6. Maintenance etc 2017/18 - £2,028.10. Ford Vignale has 7-year maintenance contract so no costs attributed.

If you are dissatisfied with our response you have rights of review and appeal; these rights consist of two review processes.

Firstly our internal review procedure is available by contacting:

John Kelpie  
Chief Executive  
Derry City and Strabane District Council  
98 Strand Road  
Derry BT48 7NN  
Tel 028 71253253 or email [john.kelpie@derrystrabane.com](mailto:john.kelpie@derrystrabane.com)

Secondly, you can appeal directly by contacting the Information Commissioner at:

Information Commissioner  
Wycliffe House  
Water Lane  
Wilmslow  
CHESHIRE SK9 5AF  
Tel: 0303 123 1113 (local rate) or email: [casework@ico.org.uk](mailto:casework@ico.org.uk)

Yours sincerely

**Fleet Manager**