



Derry City & Strabane
District Council

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Ref: EIR / 929

23 November 2016

Ms Sallie McKay

Email: @gmail.com

Dear Ms

Environmental Information Regulations 2004 Request Planning application information

I refer to your EIR request as above and respond as follows:

1. Average time taken to validate planning applications ideally April 1 to 31 October 2016 or nearest dates available.

Response: We do not hold this information. Validation of planning applications is currently not reported on and therefore does not form part of the current performance reporting mechanisms

2. Average time taken to complete pre application enquiries - dates as above or nearest available.

Response: We do not hold this information. Pre-application enquiries are currently not reported on and therefore does not form part of the current performance reporting mechanisms

If this information cannot be supplied can you please provide in excel or other format

1. For planning applications received and validated date for each application
2. Received and returned or completed date for each pre-application

Response: Statistical information on planning performance in Northern Ireland is published by the Department for Infrastructure NI. Please see link below for the most recent statistical reports.

<https://www.infrastructure-ni.gov.uk/articles/planning-activity- statistics>

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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

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

Yours sincerely

Head of Planning