

Derry City & Strabane

District Council

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Derry Cittie & Stràbane

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Ref: EIR / 1326

20 July 2017

Mr

Request Initiative CIC

Email: shelterfoia@gmail.com

Dear Mr

Environmental Information Regulations 2004 Request Rented Residential Housing

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

Choice Based Lettings

Advised to contact NIHE

Environmental Health

1. Total number of cases worked on by the Council's Environmental Health Team during the year 01.04.15 to 31.03.16

Response: 2324

2. Total number of cases worked on by the Council's Environmental Health Team related to all rented residential housing (including all types of rented property including homes owned by the Council; a Registered Provider or a Private Landlord) during the year

Response: Please see attached a lists of complaints worked on by **Environmental Health for each legacy Council area for the year 01.04.15** to 31.03.16. It should be noted that we are unable to provide specific information in relation to rented residential housing only and the information provided may contain some owner occupier cases.

Strabane

3. The total number of staff hours spent on all cases related to all rented residential housing.

Response: We are unable to provide this specific information however an estimate of how much of the Environmental Health Team's time that was spent on housing related issues from 01.04.15 to 31.03.16 was approx. 7696 hours.

4. The cost (including salaries and administration) to the Council of work done on cases related to all rented residential housing

Response: We are unable to provide this specific information however the total budget for the Environmental Health Team including staff costs and administration during the year was £1 640 782.

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 Health & Community Wellbeing

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