

Derry City & Strabane District Council Comhairle **Chathair Dhoire &** Cheantar an tSratha Báin

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Dear Mr Freedom of Information Act 2000 Request 'Call In' Decisions

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

I can confirm that the details of all Call Ins received by Derry City and Strabane District Council and which have been concluded, are available in the relevant meeting papers via the Council Business – Meetings, Agendas and Minutes section of the Councils website: http://www.derrystrabane.com/Council/Council-Business. Council is not required to provide copies of this information as the information has already been published (exemption s22 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000).

I can confirm that one further request for a Call In of a decision has been received and the matter has not yet concluded. The Call In was requested under both sections 41(1)(a) and 41(1)(b) of the Local Government Act (NI) 2014.

I attach a copy of the request for Call In and can confirm that legal counsel opinion has been sought however has not been provided to date. On receipt of same, Council will provide a copy of the opinion to Members and where the Call In has merit will make arrangements for reconsideration of the decision by Council.

I trust the above addresses your query. If you are dissatisfied with our response you have rights of review and appeal; these rights consist of two review processes.

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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

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