

From: Freedom of Information Requests

Sent: 01 September 2023 14:58

To:

Subject: FOI Response - [REDACTED]

Dear [REDACTED]

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request dated 16 August 2023 for information about Mobile Homes. Please find below City of Doncaster Council's responses to the questions you have raised.

1. I would like to view the definitive public register of licenced commercial residential caravan sites in your administrative area which is expected to indicate
Site Name and address
Max. No. Licenced pitches
Licence Holder
Date of Issue
Site Rules
Site Category (Residential/Holiday and numbers)
Time Limits
Fit and proper person – the on line register specified in the Regulations The Information you show is less than is required by the regulations.
Other notes.

Response: After carefully considering your request, the City of Doncaster Council has decided to refuse to disclose the information you have asked for under Section 14 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

The information requested is exempt from disclosure under Section 14(2) of the Act as the City of Doncaster Council has previously responded to a request of a similar nature, FOI request reference 67534. The Act states that where a public authority has previously complied with a request for information which was made by any person, it is not obliged to comply with a subsequent identical or substantially similar request from that person unless a reasonable interval has elapsed between compliance with the previous request and the making of the current request.

Section 14(2) is an absolute exemption and does not require the application of the public interest test.

2. I would also be pleased to receive an indication of your policy in respect of site inspections at such premises indicating frequency of visit, number of compliance notices issued, prosecutions.
Response: Where complaints or intelligence comes to light regarding noncompliance of the applicable legislation and licence conditions the allegations are investigated and where appropriate inspections carried out . This calendar year all sites have been inspected, we have not issued any compliance notices and or taken any proceedings against any site.

I hope that this information is useful to you.

The City of Doncaster Council estimates that it has cost £42.50 to respond to this request for information.

Reviewing any decisions made:

If you are not happy with this reply you can ask us to review our response. To do this write to us within 40 working days of receiving your response at the address below or email FOIAppeals@doncaster.gov.uk

If you do not agree with the review decision you can apply to the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO) for a decision about our compliance or otherwise with the Freedom of Information legislation. Contact details for the ICO are: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF. www.ico.org.uk Telephone 0303 123 1113.

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