Archived: 05 April 2024 10:35:15 **From:**

Subject: FOI Response Importance: Normal Sensitivity: None Attachments: FOI Stats.xlsx:

Dear

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request dated 4th March 2024 for information about birth and deaths. Please find below City of Doncaster Council's responses to the questions you have raised.

If questions have been asked, the question should be set out with the answer as is below:

Question 1: Please provide the amount of deaths registered per week since January 2019 (to include male/female specific).

Response: This information is exempt from disclosure under Section 'a021 of the Freedom of information Act. Section 21 exempts information from the 'a0right of access if that information 'a0is reasonably accessible to the applicant by other means. In this case the information can be accessed via / is available at: <u>Death registrations and occurrences by local authority and health board - Office for National Statistics</u>

Question 2: Please provide the number of burial/cremations per week since January 2019.

Response: Please see attached excel spreadsheet.

Question 3: Please provide the number of births registered per week since January 2019.

Response: This information is exempt from disclosure under Section 'a021 of the Freedom of information Act. Section 21 exempts information from the 'a0right of access if that information 'a0is reasonably accessible to the applicant by other means. In this case the information can be accessed via / is available at: Live births in England and Wales down to local authority local area - Nomis - Official Census and Labour Market Statistics (nomisweb.co.uk) and Nomis - Official Census and Labour Market Statistics (nomisweb.co.uk)

Question 4: Please provide the number of miscarriages per week since January 2019.

Response: This information is not held by the City of Doncaster Council. This is held by NHS, details on how to make a FOI request to the NHS can be found here: <u>NHS England » Freedom of Information Act and Environmental Information Regulations</u>

I hope that this information is useful to you.

City of Doncaster Council estimates that it has cost £46.00 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 <u>FOIAppeals@doncaster.gov.uk</u>

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. <u>www.ico.org.uk</u> Telephone 0303 123 1113.

Yours sincerely, Sophie

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Sent: 04 March 2024 06:57 To: Freedom of Information Requests <<u>FOI.Requests@doncaster.gov.uk</u>> Subject: Re: Freedom of Information request

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4th March 2024

I write with regards to a request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 & expect the information requested to be provided within 20 days.

Please provide the amount of deaths registered per week since January 2019 (to include male/female specific).

Please provide the number of burial/cremations per week since January 2019.

Please provide the number of births registered per week since January 2019.

Please provide the number of miscarriages per week since January 2019.

I thank you in advance for your help with the information required and I look forward to hearing your response in the very near future.