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Dear Sir/Madam.

Thank you for your request for information relating to Council Tax Arrears

You have requested the following information:

a) The amount of Council Tax arrears at the end of financial year 2017/18 (i.e. 31st March 2018 or 5th April 2018).

On 1 April 2018 prior year debt totalled £12.49 million.

b) Your latest estimate of the amount of Council Tax arrears in your authority.

On 30 November 2018 the total had reduced to £8.89 million.

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Yours sincerely

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