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Dear Sir/Madam.

Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) Request ID: REQ07232

Thank you for your request for information relating to homeless people housed under Everyone In scheme.

You have requested the following information:

1. How many homeless people have been housed by your Council under the "Everyone In" scheme to get people indoors during the pandemic? Please break this down by month and say what date you have gone up to.

02/03/2020 - 31/03/2020 - 89. 01/04/2020 - 30/04/2020 - 75. 01/05/2020 - 29/05/2020 - 32. 01/06/2020 - 30/06/2020 - 44.

These numbers include duplicates, for example where an individual may have been moved from one establishment to another, or left the accommodation then returned at a later date (and placed elsewhere). In total, 170 individuals have been accommodated during this period under the 'Everyone In' scheme.

2. How much was charged by the following hotel groups (listed below in bold) to house rough sleepers under this scheme. Please specify the cost per night and say whether it changed at all during the course of the time they were housed (e.g. were there any price raises)

## Holiday Inn Travelodge Ibis

Coventry City Council has not placed any rough sleepers in these establishments under the 'Everyone In' scheme.

3. How many individuals were removed from hotels or housing after being put there under the scheme? Please provide a reason why they were moved and provide the date and when they were reallocated accommodation.

Date Out	Relocated at date	Reason
02/04/2020	02/04/2020	Broke hotel rules
01/05/2020	01/05/2020	Theft
01/05/2020	01/05/2020	Theft
15/04/2020	07/05/2020	Did not stay in the accommodation
31/03/2020	Unknown whereabouts	Broke hotel rules
07/04/2020	14/04/2020	Broke hotel rules, theft
08/04/2020	29/05/2020	Broke hotel rules
26/04/2020	27/04/2020	Theft
24/04/2020	16/06/2020	Did not stay in the accommodation
13/05/2020	13/05/2020	Assault
21/04/2020	22/04/2020	Assault
26/05/2020	27/05/2020	Did not stay in the accommodation
08/05/2020	15/05/2020	Broke hotel rules
14/05/2020	Unknown whereabouts	Did not stay in the accommodation
12/05/2020	29/05/2020	Broke hotel rules
15/06/2020	19/06/2020	Broke hotel rules

There were also 12 individuals who left the accommodation provided for other reasons but were not removed by Coventry City Council.

4. How much in total was spent by your Council putting homeless people in accommodation under the scheme? Please break the costs down by the company/ landlord/ hotel chain that was paid.

The total accommodation cost up to the end of May 2020 is £408,228.65.

Hylands Hotel- £61,120. Days Inn – £107,475. Allesley Hotel – £194,628.67. Frank Walsh House - £45,004.98.

An additional £28,249.20 has been paid to Khalsa Aid for food provision for people accommodated who do not have access to full cooking/food storage facilities.

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Yours faithfully

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