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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA)

Request ID: FOI424605335

Thank you for your request for information relating to special severance payments.

You have requested the following information:

1. would like to know how much money, in pounds sterling, the council paid on special severance payments to employees leaving their roles in the 2020/21 and 2021/22 tax years please.

Following careful consideration, the information you requested falls under the exemption(s) in Section 21 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000, which relates to 'information reasonably accessible to the applicant by other means.'

The exemption applies as the information is published and publicly available to view by accessing the Government's website, please use the following link:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/statistics/local-authority-exit-payments-first-estimates-england-2019-20-and-2020-21>

The 2021/22 figures will be available by approximately August 2022 on the above website.

This exemption is not subject to the public interest test.

For information, we publish a variety of information such as: [FOI/EIR Disclosure Log](#), [Publication Scheme](#), [Facts about Coventry](#) and [Open Data](#) that you may find of useful if you are looking for

information in the future.

If you are unhappy with the handling of your request, you can ask us to review our response. Requests for reviews should be submitted within 40 days of the date of receipt of our response to your original request – email: infogov@coventry.gov.uk

If you are unhappy with the outcome of our review, you can write to the Information Commissioner, who can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF or email icocasework@ico.org.uk.

Please remember to quote the reference number above in your response.

Yours faithfully

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