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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA)

Request ID: FOI444514856

Thank you for your request for information relating to air pollution.

You have requested the following information:

1. How many roadside vehicle emissions checks in air quality management areas (AQMA) have been conducted in the past five years?

We confirm we have not conducted any roadside vehicle emission checks within the past five years. Please be advised we do not currently enforce this legislation.

2. How many fixed fines have been given to drivers whose vehicles do not comply with the above emissions limits in the past five years?

We refer you to our response to Question 1.

3. How many fines have been issued for unauthorised chimney smoke within a smoke control area under the The Clean Air Act 1993 in the past five years?

We have not issued any fines for unauthorised chimney smoke within the past five years.

4. How many complaints have been made regarding unauthorised chimney smoke in the past five years?

We do not hold the requested information and are therefore advising you as per Section 1(1) of the Act. Please be advised we do not record 'unauthorised chimney smoke' separately.

To assist, a total of 214 complaints made since 8 September 2017 concerning smoke and the odour of the smoke. The total number of complaints also includes complaints about smoke made where the source or the smell of the smoke is uncertain (i.e., where the smoke cannot be located and inevitably will include smoke from garden bonfires, for example).

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Yours faithfully

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