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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) Request ID: FOI548702218

Thank you for your request for information relating to Equal Pay Liabilities.

You have requested the following information:

1. Do you have any known equal pay liabilities?

The Council has had 175 equal pay claims issued against it in the Employment Tribunal. These are being defended by the Council and the final hearing on these is unlikely to be until at least Autumn 2024. Therefore, the answer is that the Council has no known equal pay liabilities.

If yes:

- 2. What is the current status of the negotiations and agreements with the affected parties?
- 3. Please provide an estimate of the total liability the Council may face.
- 4. Please provide an estimate of timings.

For Questions 2 to 4, these are not applicable.

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Yours faithfully

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