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Dear Sir/Madam

Environmental Information Regulations 2004 (EIR) Request ID: FOI646395239

Thank you for your request for information relating to Planning Application Refunds.

You have requested the following information:

Please provide a list (in Excel format) of all planning applications submitted from 6th December 2023 to the most recent data available where no decision was made within the statutory period (26 weeks for major applications and 16 weeks for non-major applications), unless a longer period has/had been agreed in writing between the applicant and the Local Authority, and no refund of fees has been made to date.

Requested Columns:

- 1. Planning application reference
- 2. Applicant name
- 3. Site address
- 4. Valid date
- 5. Planning application fee paid (£)
- 6. Decision due date
- 7. Actual decision date
- 8. No. of days to decision
- 9. The decision (e.g., approved, refused, etc.)
- 10. Extension of time/Planning performance agreement (Yes or No)
- 11. Refund (Yes or No)
- 12. Eligible for Refund (Yes or No) (Based on statutory decision deadlines: 16 weeks for

non-major applications and 26 weeks for major applications)

- 13. Withdrawn (Yes or No)
- 14. Proposal description

Please provide the information in chronological (date) order.

Following careful consideration, the information you requested falls under the exception(s) in Regulation 6(1)(b) of the Environmental Information Regulations 2004, which relates to 'information reasonably accessible to the applicant by other means.'

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

https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/planning-applications-statistics

This exception is not subject to the public interest test.

For information, we publish a variety of information such as: <u>FOI/EIR Disclosure Log</u>, <u>Publication Scheme</u>, <u>Facts about Coventry</u> and <u>Open Data</u> 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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