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Dear Sir/Madam

**Environmental Information Regulations 2004 (EIR)  
Request ID: FOI656943869**

Thank you for your request for information relating to planning applications and biodiversity net gain.

You have requested the following information:

**1. How many full planning applications have been made in total since 2 April 2024?**

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 Council 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.

**2. How many of those applications are subject to mandatory BNG (i.e. not covered by the Biodiversity Gain Requirements (Exemptions) Regulations 2024), and please could you provide the application reference numbers for those?**

Note that I have been advised by Idox, the planning application search provider, that there is an internal search function for BNG applications but not yet an external one

In total there have been nine planning applications that have been subject to BNG since the 2 April. The planning application numbers have been listed below:

- PL/2024/0000288/FULM
- PL/2024/0001282/FUL
- PL/2024/0002121/FUL
- PL/2024/0000865/FULM
- PL/2024/0002126/FUL
- PL/2024/0001879/FUL
- PL/2024/0001441/FULM
- PL/2024/0002010/FUL
- PL/2024/0000452/FULM

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Yours faithfully

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