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Department: Planning

Title: Class A Retail outlets

Description: Detail of changes in usage of retail premises for Class A covering

shops and other retail premises such as restaurants and bank branches.

Request: (As Redacted sent by requestor)

I would like to make a request under the Freedom of Information Act regarding businesses applying to change the usage of retail spaces in under the Town and Country Planning (Use Classes) order of 1987. The request specifically applies to Class A, covering shops and other retail premises such as restaurants and bank branches.

The questions are as follows:

- Q1. How many applications were made to your council under the Town and Country Planning (Use Classes) Order of 1987 to alter the usage of retail outlets to each of the following classes in the following timeframes?
 - 2016
 - 2017
 - 2018
- Q2. What was the total number of applications made under the Town and Country Planning (Use Classes) Order of 1987 <u>rejected</u> by your council in the following timeframes?
 - 2016
 - 2017
 - 2018
- Q3. How much income was generated by applications under the Town and Country Planning (Use Classes) Order of 1987 to alter the usage of retail outlets in the following timeframes?
 - 2016
 - 2017
 - 2018

For ease of completion I have provided tables for each question below.

Q1. How many applications were made to your council under the Town and Country Planning (Use Classes) Order of 1987 to alter the usage of retail outlets to each of the following classes in the following timeframes?	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19
A1 - Shops			
A2 – Financial and professional services			
A3 – Restaurants and cafes			
A4 - Drinking establishments			
A5 – Hot food takeaways			
Sui generis			

Q2. What was the total number of applications made under the Town and Country Planning (Use Classes) Order of 1987 were rejected by your council in the following timeframes?	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19
A1 – Shops			
A2 – Financial and professional services			
A3 – Restaurants and cafes			
A4 – Drinking establishments			
A5 – Hot food takeaways			
Sui generis			

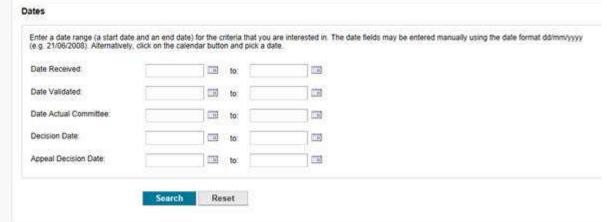
Q3. How much income was generated by applications under the Town and Country Planning (Use Classes) Order of 1987 to alter the usage of retail outlets in the following timeframes?	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19
Total income (£)			

Response: (Response as Redacted sent by service)

Questions 1 to 3 and Tables 1 to 2: The information you have requested is publically available and is contained in the Planning Register on the Council's website, which can be viewed using the advanced search, accessible via the following link: http://www6.hertsmere.gov.uk/online-applications/search.do?action=advanced

Under Application Details insert a Description Keyword, and select an appropriate Application Type from the drop-down menu.

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Tables Question 3: Information recorded by the Council is not recorded in sufficient detail to answer this question.

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Please include the above reference number on all correspondence related to this request.

Thank you for your request.

Kind regards

Information Services