

FOI number: **HBC_FOI_20200238**
Date FOI Received: **18/03/2020**
Department: **Environmental Health**
Title: **Dangerous Wild Animals**
Description: **Details of the species and numbers of animals registered under the act and of failed applications.**

Request: (As Redacted sent by requestor)

I am writing from international animal welfare and conservation organisation <REDACTED>. We are currently in the process of contacting all relevant Local Authorities in the UK, requesting details of all animals requiring licensing under the Dangerous Wild Animals Act 1976 in your jurisdiction.

Under the Freedom of Information Act, please provide the following:

1. Details of how many animals of each species are covered under each licence.
2. For each licence, list all the species and the number of individuals covered. In each case, we will require as much information as possible to enable the species to be identified.
3. Any information you are able to provide us relating to applications which were made and subsequently refused, and the reasons for refusal.

We do not require personal information such as names of licensees, addresses etc.

The information requested above should be emailed to <REDACTED>

We are extremely grateful for your earliest co-operation and assistance in this matter. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

Response: (Response as Redacted sent by service)

Details as requested –

Q1 – F1 Savannah Cat

Q2 – 1 DWA licence granted, listing 1 F1 Savannah cat

Q3 – Nil

If you have any queries about the processing of your request then please do not hesitate to contact me. Further information explaining the Council's process for responding to information requests together with a complaints/appeals procedure is available in our reception or via our website at:

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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

