

Requests for information received by Wandsworth Borough Council

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Summary of requests for information received in:
February 2016

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Reference: 12461 **Received:** 01/02/2016

Request details: Bus Lane PCNs

1. How much revenue has Wandsworth Council received from bus lane penalty charge notices since 2012 (please break this down annually)?
 2. How many bus lane penalty charge notices has Wandsworth Council issued since 2012 (please break this down annually)?
 3. Of the Wandsworth Council bus lane penalty charge notices issued since 2012, how many were challenged (please break this down annually)?
 4. Of the challenges made to the Council against bus lane penalty charge notices, how many were accepted by the authority (please break this down annually)?
 5. How many Wandsworth Council bus lane penalty charge notices have been appealed to the Parking and Traffic Appeals Service since 2012 (please break this down annually)?
 6. Of the Wandsworth Council bus lane penalty charge notices appealed to the Parking and Traffic Appeals Service, how many were upheld in favour of the appellant (please break this down annually)?
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Reference: 12462 **Received:** 01/02/2016

Request details: Change of Use

I should like to request the list of people/organisations who applied landlord consent/Licence to Council for change of use from commercial to residential on long leasehold properties. Please provide date of consent applied, date of consent granted, complete address of the property, premium paid to the Council, property valuations before change and expected valuation after change. Please provide this information from 01/01/2012 to 01/02/2016.

Reference: 12463 **Received:** 01/02/2016

Request details: Looked After Children

For 2014/15 and 2015/16 please provide the following information on Pupil Premium for Looked After Children.
Total received from DfE
Total retained by Wandsworth
Total returned to DfE
Was there any difference in the amount allocated to Wandsworth schools? YES/NO YES/NO
If yes, specify difference.
Was any of the retained amount use to pay for staff costs? YES/NO YES/NO
If yes, specify total used to fund staff costs and the number of FTE posts.

Is the NPQH an essential requirement for the post of Virtual School Headteacher in Wandsworth?
YES/NO
Is QTS an essential requirement for the post of Virtual School Headteacher in Wandsworth?
YES/NO
Does the current postholder have either of these qualifications?
YES/NO

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Reference: 12464 **Received:** 01/02/2016

Request details: Specific Learning Disabilities

I am requesting data about Specific Learning Disabilities (SpLDs) and more specifically, Dyslexia and Dyscalculia. I have been particularly interested in looking at youths (ages 3 till 12) and their receipt of Educational Health Care plans and trends, from the 1970s till now, in the diagnosis of Dyslexia and Dyscalculia. I am also interested in looking at the treatment of maths as a school subject, what funding exists for maths in schools in the local area and what areas of weakness students are finding consistently.

With these areas of interest in mind, I am requesting the data held by you on Dyslexia, Dyscalculia and Specific Learning Disabilities in general.

Reference: 12465 **Received:** 01/02/2016

Request details: Special Educational Needs

1. Please can you provide a breakdown of the staffing (FTE) in your Special Educational Needs team for the past 5 years, as at January each year (2016, 2015, 2014, 2013 and 2012). Please can this be broken down by the different post in the team.

2. How many referrals for a statutory assessment were received in each of the past 5 calendar years (2015, 2014, 2013, 2012 and 2011)?
a. Of those, how many proceeded to an assessment?

3. How many SENDIST Tribunals has the authority had in each of the past 5 calendar years (2015, 2014, 2013, 2012 and 2011)?

Reference: 12466 **Received:** 01/02/2016

Request details: Health and Wellbeing Board

Does your HWB currently have a nominated lead for palliative and/or end of life care for i) adults and/or ii) children?

Does your HWB have a joint strategic needs assessment (JSNA) either planned or completed for 2016/17?

If your HWB does have a JSNA either planned or completed for 2016/17, does it include a section on palliative and/or end of life needs?

Does your HWB's joint health and wellbeing strategy (JHWS) specifically include people with terminal and/or life-limiting conditions or palliative and/or end of life care services?

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Reference: 12467 **Received:** 01/02/2016

Request details: Placement Orders

1a. How many children in your local authority had a placement order attached at 31 December 2014?

1b. How many children in your local authority had a placement order attached at 31 December 2015?

1c. How many of those with a placement order attached at 31 December 2014 still had a placement order attached at 31 December 2015?

2a. How many were on the adoption register and/or adoption link, or having an adoptive family sought via a local adoption agency at 31 December 2014?

2b. How many were on the adoption register and/or adoption link or having an adoptive family sought via a local adoption agency at 31 December 2015?

2c. How many of those on the adoption register and/or adoption link or having an adoptive family sought via a local adoption agency at 31 December 2014 were still on the adoption register and/or adoption link or having an adoptive family sought via a local adoption agency at 31 December 2015?*

3a. How many approved adopters did you have in your local authority area at 31 December 2014?

3b. How many approved adopters did you have in your local authority area at 31 December 2015?

3c. How many of those approved adopters at 31 December 2014 had the same status at 31 December 2015?

*Note: Please only count children once. For example, if a child is on the adoption register and adoption link, please only count them as one child, rather than count each child separately in each. This applies to all questions 2a – 2c.

Reference: 12468 **Received:** 01/02/2016

Request details: Places of Worship

This request is directed specifically to the Register Office. I understand that there is no obligation to register a premises as a place of worship and that the Church of England is exempt from this altogether. The four questions below therefore refer only to the cases reported to the Register Office:

In each of the past ten years:

1. How many applications have you received to register a building/site/premises as a place of worship? How many of these were granted/refused?

Please provide a breakdown, for each year, of this figure by faith and denomination (eg: Pentecostal/Evangelical/Adventist/Catholic Christian, Hindu, Jewish, Sikh, Muslim, Quaker, etc.).

2. How many applications have you had to change an existing place of worship from one religious faith/denomination to another (and/or applications to register a place of worship in a building that was previously registered as a place of worship for a different faith/denomination)? How many of these were granted/refused? Please list the cases and cite the original and new faith/denomination.

3. On how many occasions was the Register Office informed that an existing place of worship was to cease operating as a place of worship (eg: closure, demolition, conversion to non-religious use, etc.)?

Please list the cases and the faith/denomination.

4. How many applications have you received from non-Church of England Christian denominations registering to share a Church of England church or chapel?

Please list the cases and the faith/denomination

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Reference: 12469 **Received:** 01/02/2016

Request details: 47 Thurleigh Road

Please can you provide a copy of any written (including email) correspondence received by the Council from the Councils Private Housing team or attendance notes of conversations between the same in connection with planning application 2015/5954.

Reference: 12470 **Received:** 01/02/2016

Request details: Planning Permission

In each of the past ten years:

1. How many applications for planning permission have you received (and how many of these were granted/refused) to build a new:

Church (please cite denomination)

Mosque/Masjid

Synagogue

Gurdwara or Sikh Temple

Mandir or Hindu Temple

Buddhist Temple

2. How many applications for planning permission have you received (and how many of these were granted/refused) to convert an existing building/premises into a:

Church (please cite denomination)

Mosque/Masjid

Synagogue

Gurdwara or Sikh Temple

Mandir or Hindu Temple

Buddhist Temple

3. How many applications for planning permission have you received (and how many of these were granted/refused) to demolish a:

Church (please cite denomination)

Mosque/Masjid

Synagogue

Gurdwara or Sikh Temple

Mandir or Hindu Temple

Buddhist Temple

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Reference: 12471 **Received:** 02/02/2016

Request details: Attendance at Formula E

1. Wandsworth Council has stated that almost 60,000 people attended the Formula E event in Battersea Park in 2015. Does this figure also include people who visited on Friday 26th June 2015 (when the park was still free to enter to the general public), in addition to Saturday 27th and Sunday 28th June 2015?
 2. If the estimated figure of 60,000 does indeed include Friday 26th June then please can you inform me of the estimated figure for people attending the paid only event on Saturday 27th June 2015 and Sunday 28th June 2015?
 3. Please can you send me estimated attendance figures for all three days individually - namely Friday 26th June, Saturday 27th June and Sunday 28th June 2015?
 4. Please can you inform me how the Council estimated these figures? (a brief explanation will suffice).
 5. The Council stated that 12.6% of visitors to the event came from Wandsworth - does this figure include people who visited on Friday 26th June 2015?
 6. If the 12.6% local attendance figure includes people who visited on Friday 26th June 2015 then please can you send me the estimated local attendance for the two paid days of the event - namely Saturday 27th June 2015 and Sunday 28th June 2015?
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Reference: 12472 **Received:** 02/02/2016

Request details: Hazardous Materials

1. Please can you confirm that prior to the Formula E event in summer 2015 Formula E did NOT send Wandsworth Council / Parks Department a list of the potential hazardous materials, chemicals, liquids or other contaminants that they would be bringing into the park during the construction / derig and event itself?
2. Please can you confirm that prior to the event in summer 2015 Formula E did NOT send Wandsworth Council / Parks Department an estimate of the quantities of hazardous materials, chemicals, liquids or other contaminants they would be bringing into the park during the construction / derig and event itself?
3. Please can you inform me as to whether, prior to the 2015 event, Formula E presented Wandsworth Council with a proposed methodology for the containment / collection of hazardous materials, chemicals, liquids and other contaminants in the event of a spillage at any point during the construction / derig or event itself?
4. Please can you send me a full list of all the hazardous materials, chemicals, liquids and other contaminants that Formula E brought into the park in association with the 2015 Formula E construction / derig and event itself?
5. Please can you send me a full list of the quantities of all the various hazardous materials, chemicals, liquids and other contaminants that Formula E brought into the park in association with the 2015 Formula E construction / derig and event itself?

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Reference: 12473 **Received:** 02/02/2016

Request details: Diesel HGVs

1. How many litres of diesel did Formula E estimate all the HGVs and other machinery in the park used during the construction / derig phases of the Formula E event?
2. If the Council does not know the answer to question 1 above then please explain why you did not deem it necessary for Formula E to provide you with this information?
3. Did Formula E provide the Council with an Energy Assessment in association with the 2015 event?
4. If the answer to question 3 is YES, please can you send me a copy of the Energy Assessment?
5. Will the Council be ensuring that Formula E produce a detailed Energy Assessment in association with the planning application for the 2016 event (2015/7363) in accordance with London Plan Policy 5.2, Wandsworth Council Policies DMS3 and IS2, and Wandsworth Council's Sustainability Checklist from 2014?
5. If the answer to question 5 above is NO, then please can you explain why the Council does not deem it necessary for Formula E to provide a detailed Energy Assessment in association with the planning application for the proposed 2016 event? In particular, with specific reference to the policies I mention in question 5 above (London Plan Policy 5.2, Wandsworth Council Policies DMS3 and IS2, and Wandsworth Council's Sustainability Checklist from 2014), and within the context of the development site being a public park and the event supposedly being sustainable?

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Reference: 12474 **Received:** 02/02/2016

Request details: Education, Employment & Training

Resourcing:

- (1) What is the total compliment of staff directly employed by the Council in a dedicated EET support role (this includes from paid workers to operational managers)?
- (2) What is the compliment of staff in your Job Shop(s)/ Employer Hub(s) or dedicated customer facing premises providing EET services from Council premises (paid workers to operational managers)?
- (3) What is the approximate staffing and associated operational costs budget(s) associated with EET services in the Council (whatever detail one can share here)?

Job number projections:

- (1) What are the fastest growing sectors for job growth in your economy?
- (2) What projections have been made regarding future jobs growth?
- (3) What are the sources of this jobs growth i.e. Enterprise Area, Section 106 Developer and new site commitments, other developments, new inward investment?

Projected outputs and scope of services:

- (1) What are the projected outputs against EET staff/ services in the Council (or integrated health or commissioned service) in the current financial year and onward?
- (2) Do you have a team(s)/service(s) with staff compliment focused on EET support for any of the following groups:
 - i) Single Parents 16-67;
 - ii) APTs/ or Common Mental Health provision with dedicated EET support/ Information, Advice and Guidance;
 - iii) Young People Leaving Care 16-21/ Complex Health and Behaviour services for Children and Adolescents e.g. CAMHS or NHS Provider services;
 - iv) General Learning Disabled;
 - v) Drug and Alcohol/ Homeless/ Floating Housing Support Users

Can you describe any projects or initiatives that are central to your area's EET strategy and is having notable impact across a range of residents?

Reference: 12475 **Received:** 02/02/2016

Request details: Planning Staff

How many FTE (full time equivalent) staff did you have in your planning department in 2015?

How many FTE staff did you have in your planning department in 2005?

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Reference: 12476 **Received:** 02/02/2016

Request details: Councillor Allowances

1) In the current municipal year, how many councillors receive a 'special responsibility allowance' in addition to their basic allowance? Please provide this both as both a number and as a percentage of all councillors.

2) Of those councillors in receipt of an SRA, how many receive an allowance for working full-time (5 days a week) on council business?

3) For each of the past 3 years:
- What was the total cost of councillor allowances? - Of that total, how much was made up of basic allowances?
- How much was 'special responsibility allowances'?
- How much was other allowances (e.g. childcare, travel, phone, meeting attendance etc)?

Reference: 12477 **Received:** 02/02/2016

Request details: Registered Places of Worship

Could you please provide me with an up-to-date list of all the places of worship currently registered in the area?

Reference: 12478 **Received:** 02/02/2016

Request details: Compulsory Purchase Orders

I would like to know of all cases in which the Council have used either a compulsory purchase order or an enforced sale from January 1st 1995 until current date.

I would like to know the address of the property, the last known owner(s) and the amount of money paid into court.

Reference: 12479 **Received:** 02/02/2016

Request details: Tenants Only Meeting

Please provide us with a copy of the Minutes of the meeting organised exclusively for the Tenants of McCarthy Court, in the context of the Major Works Consultation, for the Replacement Heating Programme, that we understand took place on 12th February 2014.

We would expect the Minutes, as is the norm, to record a list of all those in attendance; the agenda; topics actually covered; points raised by contributors; matters arising; outcomes decided.

Reference: 12482 **Received:** 02/02/2016

Request details: Minutes of Meeting

Please will you send me the minutes for the meeting referred to below and dated 29 September 2015. I would like to know what are the mitigation measures referred to in your email below and also the public consultation points raised.

These relate to public consultation and are therefore a matter of public record I wish also to see correspondence which in any way related to this meeting and the discussions over the season 2 public consultation exercise either between officers and Councillors, Councillors and Formula E and Formula E and officers.

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Reference: 12483 **Received:** 02/02/2016

Request details: Littering Fines

The time frame for my request is from 00:01 1 January 2010 up until 23:59 31 December 2015.

1) How many fines has your authority issued for littering in each month of each of the past five calendar years?

2) What was the standard fine for an individual littering offence in each month of each of the past five calendar years?

3) What was the income from fines for littering in each month of each of the past five years?

Reference: 12484 **Received:** 03/02/2016

Request details: IT Systems

- a. What IT systems do you use for gym, community centre and leisure bookings?
b. How do you record, track and monitor impact data for children's centres? (I want to know what IT systems are in place for Children's centres at present, e.g. what software do you use for recording children's and parents' data; for activities carried out and for reporting KPIs, etc. Also what accounting software are you using at the minute for invoicing for any services that you provide, e.g. activities and events, etc.)
c. What financial management systems do you use across the organisation for different purposes, i.e. invoicing, budgeting, accounting etc. and why?
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Reference: 12485 **Received:** 03/02/2016

Request details: Business Rates

Please could you provide the information below for every open/live account within your charging authority, preferably on an emailed Excel spreadsheet, along with the date the data was extracted from your system.

Current account holder/ratepayer;

Account number;

Property reference number;

Account start date;

Address and postal code;

Correspondence or billing address;

Rateable value (RV);

An indicator as to whether the property is occupied or empty, including detail of any applied exemptions where applicable;

Details of any relief applied to the account, including type and amount, and start date of relief.

This may include (but is not limited to) charitable relief, discretionary reliefs, small business rates, reoccupation relief, enterprise zone relief, etc.

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Reference: 12486 **Received:** 03/02/2016

Request details: Seizure of Counterfeit Goods

Please could you supply some data concerning the seizure of counterfeit goods by or in conjunction with Trading Standards in your area.

1.Please provide a breakdown of the number of seizures of each of the following type of product, per postcode area of seizures, for each of the calendar years 2013, 2014 and 2015 (please see template spreadsheet attached). Where a postcode for the seizure is not known please use XXX if it falls within your local authority or YYY for any that were outside your local authority area.

The goods types in question are:

Alcohol
Clothing & Accessories
Computer Games
Computer Software
DVD/Blu Ray
Electrical Goods
Food/Drink (Non Alc)
Footwear
Household Products
Mobile Phone Accessories
Music CD
Other Goods
Perfume & Cosmetics
Sports Goods
Tobacco
Vehicle Parts & Accessories

2.Please also provide a breakdown of seizures of counterfeit products for the calendar years 2013, 2014 and 2015. I would like incident by incident details, giving dates, times, locations (postcode), the type of product (see above), the quantity of the product and a description of the product seized, including the counterfeited brand name if applicable, their value (estimated or confirmed) and the loss in tax revenue they represented had they been sold (estimated or confirmed).

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Reference: 12487 **Received:** 03/02/2016

Request details: Discretionary Housing Payments

1. The number of Discretionary Housing Payment (DHP) applications in 2014/15 made by household type:
 - Household type broken down by: Single, single parent, couple parent, pensioner and other household types; if this isn't possible, then by: Single parent and other household types
 2. The number of DHP awards in 2014/15 by both household type and welfare reforms for which DHPs were awarded (cross-tabulation):
 - Household type broken down as per categories in (1)
 - Welfare reforms broken down as per DHP monitoring returns (Benefit cap, removal of the spare room subsidy, local housing allowance reforms, combination of welfare reforms, award not for welfare reforms)
 - If it is not possible to break down awards by both household type and welfare reform, please provide the number of awards by household type only
 3. The amount spent on DHP awards in 2014/15 by both household type and welfare reforms for which DHPs were awarded (cross-tabulation):
 - Household type and welfare reforms broken down as per categories in (2)
 - If it is not possible to break down awards by both household type and welfare reform, please provide the amount of awards by household type only
 4. The number of DHP awards in 2014/15 by both household type and the purpose of DHPs (cross-tabulation):
 - Household type broken down as per categories in (1)
 - Purpose of DHPs broken down as per DHP monitoring returns:
 - To help secure and move to alternative accommodation
 - To help with short-term rental costs while the claimant secures and moves to alternative accommodation
 - To help with short-term rental costs while the claimant seeks employment
 - To help with ongoing rental costs for disabled person in adapted accommodation
 - To help with ongoing rental costs for a foster carer
 - To help with ongoing rental costs for any other reason
 5. The amount spent on DHP awards in 2014/15 by both household type and the purpose of DHPs (cross-tabulation):
 - Household type and purpose of DHPs broken down as per the categories in (4)
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Reference: 12488 **Received:** 04/02/2016

Request details: Temporary Accommodation in other LA Areas

Please could you provide a list of the local authority areas (including your own) where you offered temporary accommodation to homeless households between the 1st July 2014 to the 30th June 2015.

Please could you provide the following information, broken down by each of these local authorities:

- ☐ Number of offers of temporary accommodation you made to households in each local authority in this time period and the number of these offers accepted;
- ☐ Number of offers of temporary accommodation you made to households with dependent children in each local authority in this time period and the number of these offers accepted;
- ☐ Number of households who accepted an offer of temporary accommodation in each local authority and subsequently requested a review of the suitability of the offer under Section 202 of the Housing Act 1996.

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Reference: 12489 **Received:** 04/02/2016

Request details: Teaching Assistant Pay Grades/Scales

Teaching assistants pay grades/scales.

The spinal column points (SCP) within above mentioned grades/scales.

The amount of each per annum.

The highest pay grade/scale/SCP for an untrained teaching assistant within Wandsworth.

The highest pay grade/scale/SCP for a trained teaching assistant within Wandsworth.

The highest pay grade/scale/SCP for higher level teaching assistant within Wandsworth.

Please could you also send the above mentioned for London.

Reference: 12490 **Received:** 04/02/2016

Request details: Social Housing

- 1.How many social housing residential properties have been empty for more than 6 months? If possible state the reason why the properties are empty e.g. 'due to poor state of repair'.
- 2.How many social housing residential properties are currently available and ready to move into? (categorise such as 1 bedroom flat, 2 bedroom, etc).
- 3.How many people are currently on a waiting list for social housing and what is the average time somebody is on the waiting list for?
- 4.What is the most commonly requested type of property? (3 bedroom house, bungalow, etc.)
- 5.Has the Council got any plans to build more council homes and when is the building likely to commence? (categorise by type of property)
- 6.How many tenants are currently seeking rehousing? (Also state the number wishing to down size or increase size).
- 7.How many social housing / council tenants currently have applications in via the Right to Buy scheme?
- 8.How many properties were sold via Right to Buy in the last 24 months?

Note: This request relates to social housing and housing stock owned via the Council or via a housing association which is owned / linked to the Council.

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Reference: 12491 **Received:** 04/02/2016

Request details: Housing Allocation List

How many people have been removed from your housing allocations list as a result of changes to qualification requirements following the Localism Act in 2012? Please provide a breakdown for each year since 2012.
What new qualification requirements for the housing allocations list has the Council introduced since 2012?
How many new applicants were refused access to the list due to new qualification requirements since 2012?
What new criteria was used to refuse access to or remove these people?
How many decisions to remove a person from the allocations list were reversed upon review since 2012?
How many decisions to refuse a person access to the allocations list were reversed upon review since 2012?
How many complaints has the Council received for refusing a person access to the housing allocations list since 2012?
How many of the decisions to refuse access were reviewed?

Reference: 12492 **Received:** 04/02/2016

Request details: Minutes of Meeting 12.02.2014

Could you please provide a copy of the minutes of the tenants only meeting, that we gather took place on 12.02.2014.

Reference: 12493 **Received:** 04/02/2016

Request details: Independent Special Schools

1 How many pupils are educated in independent special schools who are funded by the local authority?
2 What is the annual total cost of placements (from the education budget) in independent special schools?
3 What is the cost of travel associated with these placements?

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Reference: 12494 **Received:** 04/02/2016

Request details: Social Workers

1. Within Children's Services, how many social workers do you currently employ?
 2. Within Children's Services, what is the average number of months that currently employed social workers have worked in their current post?
 3. Of the young people who have completed an intervention with your Children's Services over the past 36 months, what was the average length of engagement (in months) with a single social worker?
 4. Of the young people who have completed an intervention with your Children's Services over the past 36 months, what was the average quantity of face-to-face meetings a young person had with a single social worker during their engagement?
 5. Within Children's Services over the last 36 months, what was the average length (in minutes) of a face-to-face meeting between a social worker and a young person?

 6. Within Youth Offending Services, how many youth offending practitioners do you currently employ?
 7. Within Youth Offending Services, what is the average number of months that currently employed youth offending practitioners have worked in their current post?
 8. Of the young people who have completed an intervention with your Youth Offending Services over the past 36 months, what was the average length of engagement (in months) with a single youth offending practitioner?
 9. Of the young people who have completed an intervention with your Youth Offending Services over the past 36 months, what was the average quantity of face-to-face meetings a young person had with a single youth offending practitioner during their engagement?
 10. Within Youth Offending Services over the last 36 months, what was the average length (in minutes) of a face-to-face meeting between a youth offending practitioner and a young person?
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Reference: 12495 **Received:** 04/02/2016

Request details: Resident Only Parking Zones

1. The location of all Resident only Parking Zones within the Borough that have been in operation on a permanent or temporary basis at any time within the 3 years preceding the date of this email.
2. The grounds on which such Resident only Parking Zones were allowed/authorised by the Council.
3. Any Application procedures/Forms (together with any guidance or explanatory Notes provided by your Council) requiring attention or submission to the Council for any particular location to be considered as a Resident only Parking Zone.
4. Whether such Zones need to be of any particular extent (e.g. in respect of the complete length of a specific road) or whether they can, e.g, be restricted to the roadway abutting or opposite a particular property.
5. Please also confirm the specific legislation and regulations/bylaws regulating the establishment of Resident only Parking Zones.

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Reference: 12496 **Received:** 04/02/2016

Request details: Substance Misuse Rehab Placements

Please could you provide the following information: - the relevant individual or individuals' who are responsible for the procurement and purchasing of Tier 4 substance misuse residential rehab placements in your area.

I would be grateful if you could supply their name, personal title, postal business contact address including e-mail and all contact details.

Reference: 12497 **Received:** 05/02/2016

Request details: Freedom Passes

I wish to request, under the Freedom of Information Act, that you supply me with: The number of people in Wandsworth who have Freedom Passes.

Reference: 12498 **Received:** 05/02/2016

Request details: Temp & Consultancy Social Workers

Please let me know:

a) The council's total spend on agency qualified social work professionals for calendar years:

2015

2014

2013

For each year please provide figures for:

- children's & young people's social care services
- adult social care services
- total

b) Please let me know the total number of qualified social workers working on a recruitment agency basis at the Council. Please also provide this figure as a percentage of the Council's permanently directly employed staff (ie non agency/consultant) qualified social worker headcount.

C) Please let me know the total number of qualified social workers working on a consultancy/self employed basis at the Council. Please also provide this figure as a percentage of the Council's permanently directly employed staff (i.e. non agency/consultant) qualified social workers.

D) Please provide the name and job title of anyone employed in a senior/managerial position in adult or children's & young people's social care services who is currently employed on a consultancy contract basis. Please restrict this to positions involving social care (ie not IT consultants etc). Please state whether the positions are full or part time and whether these are interim/short-term or permanent contracts.

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Reference: 12499 **Received:** 05/02/2016

Request details: Overcrowding

1. How many successful prosecutions did you make for overcrowding under the Housing Act 1985 last year?
 2. How many successful prosecutions did you make for overcrowding under the Housing Act in each of the last five years?
 3. What was the range of penalties for offenders in the aforementioned cases?
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Reference: 12500 **Received:** 05/02/2016

Request details: Housing Benefit

1. The borough's annual housing benefit expenditure in 2013/14 and 2014/15 that related to private tenancies.
 2. The borough's annual housing benefit expenditure in 2013/14 and 2014/15 on temporary and emergency accommodation for discharging its full housing duties under Section 193.
 3. The borough's annual housing benefit expenditure in 2013/14 and 2014/15 on temporary and emergency accommodation for discharging its interim duties under Section 188.
 4. The borough's total annual expenditure on temporary and emergency accommodation in 2013/14 and 2014/15 for discharging its full housing duties under Section 193.
 5. The borough's total annual expenditure on temporary and emergency accommodation in 2013/14 and 2014/15 for discharging its interim duties under Section 188.
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Reference: 12501 **Received:** 05/02/2016

Request details: Transport for Children

- a) Does the local authority provide free buses for disabled children over the age of 16. If the Local Authority does not but previously did offer the service, what year did it stop?
- b) How much the Local Authority has spent on taxis for school travel. I'd like this data for the financial years 2009/10 and 2015/2016.
- c) What proportion of drivers and escorts taking pupils to and from school and related services have had DBS checks.

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Reference: 12502 **Received:** 05/02/2016

Request details: Temporary Accommodation Policy

1. Please can you send us your local authority's most up to date version of the following policies:
Your policy for allocating temporary accommodation units, including any details on the individual factors that are taken into account when offering temporary accommodation to households, and including any policies or guidance on allocating temporary accommodation that is outside of your local authority boundaries.
Your policy for procuring units of temporary accommodation to meet anticipated demand during the coming 12 months.
2. Please can you confirm when these policies were last updated?
3. Please can you confirm if there are plans to update either or both in the next twelve months, and, if so, when this will be?

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Reference: 12503 **Received:** 05/02/2016

Request details: Care & Support Workers

1. Do you directly employ Care & Support Workers? [If NO skip to (18)]
2. Do they undertake Sleep-In work? [If NO skip to (6)]
3. Is it your policy that there are circumstances in which this constitutes 'Time Work' for the purposes of calculating National Minimum Wage? [If NO skip to (5)]
4. What are these circumstances?
5. How was this policy decided upon, by whom (i.e. in what roles)?
Please provide minutes of the meetings in which this policy was decided.
6. Do your employees undertake 'Live-In' work? [If NO skip to (10)].
7. Is it your policy that there are circumstances when they are eligible for NMW?
[If NO skip to (9)].
8. What are these circumstances?
9. How was this policy decided upon, by whom (i.e. in what roles)?
Please provide minutes of the meetings in which this policy was decided.
10. Do any of your employees get 'Premium Rates' at particular times or on particular days (e.g. Bank Holidays, over-time, unsocial hours etc.)? [If NO skip to(12)].
11. Under what circumstances?
12. Please provide data of 'Premium Rates' historically available to these staff; what the rates were under what circumstances and when their eligibility for these rates began and ended.
13. Please provide data of the average hourly rate of front-line Care & Support staff (not inclusive of Team Leaders or above) at this time and historically, as best as you are able.
14. Is the pay of these staff (including such things as sleep-in rates) subject to a Collective Bargaining arrangement involving unions?
15. Which unions?
16. Have you sought advice from HMRC, ACAS or the Dept. of BIS regarding any of these arrangements (with special regard to sleep-in and live-in rates)?
17. Please provide the content of these communications.
18. Do you Commission other organisations to provide Care & Support services?
[If NO ignore the remainder of these questions].
19. Do you contractually require these organisations to pay National Minimum Wage? [If NO skip to (24)].
20. Do your contracts define the understanding of National Minimum Wage under which the company is expected to operate (such as the circumstances in which sleep-in or live-in workers are eligible for NMW)?

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21. What do you do to ensure the contract is robust (e.g. punitive clauses in the case of a breach)?

22. What do you do to monitor adherence to this contractual obligation once the service is 'live'?

23. What are your policies/procedures for handling a report of breach of contract in this regard?

24. Do you commission other organisations to carry out 'Live-In' work?

23. For this 'Live-In' work: any information you hold as to what proportion of the fee you pay to the contracted company is actually paid to the worker.

Reference: 12504

Received: 05/02/2016

Request details: Website Access

1. Over the last 5 years how many of your employees have been dismissed or disciplined for trying to access or accessing websites that are blocked or inappropriate at work? Can you give a breakdown of how many have lost their jobs as a result & why, what their job title was and how many have had warnings and what they were for i.e. pornography, also including their job titles. Can you please provide a year by year breakdown.

2. In the last 12 months in order of popularity can you provide a full list of the websites visited on your network?

3. Over the last 5 years, with a year by year breakdown, how many times have you had to block people from accessing websites and why? What are the websites you've blocked?

4. Over the last 5 years, with a year by year breakdown, how many times has your system been hacked or disrupted by hackers/cyber attacks?

5. Over the last 5 years, with a year by year breakdown, how much money has been spent on trying to prevent hacking/cyber attacks?

6. Over the last 5 years, with a year by year breakdown, have you had to report to the police any of your staff/members of the public for accessing or trying to access any terrorism related sites? If so how many?

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Reference: 12505 **Received:** 05/02/2016

Request details: Public Affairs/Lobbying Roles

1: i) the number of in-house staff/FTEs employed in public affairs/lobbying roles, engaging external bodies on the authority's behalf;
ii) their titles;
iii) their annual budget; and
iv) any assessment of the financial value of their work to the Council for example, in attracting or preserving grant-funding, preventing or tempering damaging policy developments.

2: i) the number of external public affairs/lobbying consultants/consultancies engaged by the Council;
ii) for what purposes;
iii) the cost of contracting their work; and
iv) any assessment of the financial value of this work to the Council.

For clarity, I understand lobbying/public affairs to describe activities including policy development, liaising with influential external stakeholders and building the Council's profile and reputation with Government, commercial and public sectors, and managing reputational issues.

Reference: 12506 **Received:** 05/02/2016

Request details: Media Licenses

Did the London Borough of Wandsworth pay for a NLA (Newspaper Licensing Agency) or CLA (Copyright Licensing Agency) media license in 2013-2014? If so, how much did the London Borough of Wandsworth pay for the licenses in 2013-2014 (please provide the figures separately)?
Did the London Borough of Wandsworth pay for other media licenses in 2013-2014? Please list any other media licenses the council subscribed to and how much was paid for them in 2013-2014.

Reference: 12507 **Received:** 08/02/2016

Request details: Temporary Accommodation

1. Which agents/ landlords do you pay the most in Emergency/ Temporary Accommodation? (email me a top 20 list with names and amounts payable)
2. Which companies do you pay the most in housing benefit (email me a top 20 list, with names and amounts payable)
3. What temporary/ emergency nightly rates do you pay within your Borough for the following accommodation:
Self-contained: Studios, 1 beds, 2 beds, 3 beds, 4 beds
Shared accommodation: single room, double room, triple room, quad room
4. What number of units have you used for temporary/ nightly let accommodation for the last 5 years?

Reference: 12508 **Received:** 08/02/2016

Request details: Section 257 HMOs

Section 257 HMOs - Blocks of Self Contained Flats

What are the minimum sizes within your Borough for this type of accommodation?

Where the minimum size hasn't been met and you have taken enforcement action to see it's use, have you had any appeals against your decision?
If so, please email me copies of these appeals.

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Reference: 12509 **Received:** 08/02/2016

Request details: Unaccompanied Asylum Seeking Children

1. How many unaccompanied asylum seeking children is the local authority currently responsible for? (as at 1 February 2016, or nearest marker).
 2. How many Looked After children total is the local authority currently responsible for? If possible- how many of these are British natives?
 3. How many Looked After Unaccompanied Asylum Seeking Children went:
a.missing permanently (i.e. they have not returned as of this date);
b.missing temporarily (i.e. they were missing but returned);
Please break numbers down by each month: September 2015, October 2015, November 2015, December 2015, January 2016
 4. How many social workers are employed directly by the local authority as of 1 February 2016? How many were employed as of 1st Sept 2015 (or nearest convenient marker)?
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Reference: 12510 **Received:** 08/02/2016

Request details: Traffic Lights

1. How many Traffic Light systems are currently owned and operated by your council?
 2. Please provide a breakdown of how many traffic light systems were owned and operated by your council in 2013, 2014, and 2015.
 3. Please specify where these Traffic Light systems are placed
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Reference: 12511 **Received:** 08/02/2016

Request details: Right to Buy Social Mobility Fund

Please can you tell me if the local authority has offered any council housing tenants a cash payment in place of a Right to Buy discount and how many residents received this? This is known as the Right to Buy Social Mobility Fund. Please can you also tell me if the local authority applied for the Right to Buy Social Mobility Fund, how much it received if successful, or if it was unsuccessful.

Reference: 12512 **Received:** 08/02/2016

Request details: Surveillance

From the financial year 2011/12 to the current financial year, for each occasion that an external organisation was commissioned to undertake surveillance, please provide the following information:

- The name of the external organisation and a description as to why they were commissioned to undertake surveillance.
- The amount paid to the external organisation commissioned to undertake surveillance. Please indicate the financial year as to when this amount was paid.
- Please indicate whether the organisation was commissioned to undertake surveillance under the provisions of the Regulatory Investigative Powers Act (RIPA).

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Reference: 12513 **Received:** 08/02/2016

Request details: Children's Homes

1. Please list all the children's homes in your region, whether they are public or privately owned, and the name of the provider.
 2. For each children's home, please indicate how many children are in that home's care as of the current date (08/02/2016).
 3. For each children's home, please provide a contract and tender document.
 4. If the amount paid for the services of the children's home cannot be found in the relevant contract, please notify the amount of money paid for those services per financial year.
 5. Could you also provide an organisational chart for your social services department.
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Reference: 12514 **Received:** 08/02/2016

Request details: CCTV & ANPR

- 1) The current total number of council owned public space CCTV and ANPR cameras in your district.
 - 2) The names of the streets covered by both CCTV and ANPR cameras (i.e. camera locations and where possible what view they have).
 - 3) How many days a year CCTV and ANPR cameras are actively monitored.
 - 4) How many hours a day CCTV and ANPR cameras are actively monitored and at what specific times.
 - 5) How many days/hours a year these CCTV and ANPR cameras are recording footage for.
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Reference: 12515 **Received:** 08/02/2016

Request details: Dog Areas

- a) Number and location of dog areas/dog exercise areas/dog runs in your Borough (i.e. name of park/green/etc. where they are located, also specifying the ward);
 - b) For each area please indicate:
 - whether the same is enclosed/secured;
 - size of the area in square feet or other measure;
 - height of the fence surrounding the area (where data available);
 - type of fence (where data available) (example: vertical metal bars, stock fence, rail fence).
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Reference: 12516 **Received:** 09/02/2016

Request details: Bullying

Please provide a table listing all secondary schools by name in the Wandsworth area, the total number of pupils on roll, and the number of incidents of bullying that have been reported, over the past five years, categorised by the outcome of investigations, and any indication you may have that can compare these figures against county and national averages.

Please also include the type of bullying (e.g. racist, disability, homophobic) in your table.

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Reference: 12517 **Received:** 09/02/2016

Request details: Heating Works Consultation

Could Wandsworth Council confirm - or deny - if there were any residents of McCarthy Court, who, in the course of Wandsworth Council's investigation into the Vote Changing initiative of 2014, DID advise Wandsworth Council that they (the resident), had been asked, encouraged or coerced in to Changing a Vote in the Residents' Ballot, that they (the resident) had already cast.

Reference: 12518 **Received:** 09/02/2016

Request details: Insulation Cladding

-Why were we told, in the response to our Freedom of Information Request', that over-cladding with insulation would NOT be undertaken, and then it has been discovered that insulation has indeed been applied to the buildings ?
-Why was our Freedom of Information Request dated 18.02.2015., not responded to, as a Freedom of Information Request ?
-We ask again, under the Freedom of Information Act:- has Wandsworth Council considered the idea of insulating the walls of McCarthy Court, or some walls of McCarthy Court, with an insulation material as a remedy to the condensation and mould-growth problems experienced since Autumn 2014?

Reference: 12519 **Received:** 09/02/2016

Request details: Housing Support

Could the Council provide details of individual contracted services they have for Housing Related Support (including homelessness accommodation based and floating support services).

For each individual contract, could the Council please provide the following information:

Contract name;

Contract start and end date;

Contract value (please indicate total or annual);

The current contract provider;

Owner of the building the contract is delivered from;

The client group;

Number of clients supported under the contract; Whether there is an intention to extend or reprocure the contract;

Lead commissioner name and contact details.

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Reference: 12520 **Received:** 09/02/2016

Request details: Councillors & Internal Standards Committee

1.How many times were your local authority's elected council officials - so all councillors and any other elected officials, Mayors and deputies etc. - referred to your local authority's own internal standards committee/board over the last three years?

2.For clarity, please detail how many times elected council officials were referred to your own internal standards committee/board throughout 2015, 2014 and 2013.

3.Please detail for what reason(s) each single referral was made, ie what the allegation/complaint was which caused each referral, and also detail what the outcome of each referral was, i.e. was the person cleared, dismissed, sacked or reprimanded and in what way(s) were they reprimanded or have disciplinary action taken etc., and please list wherever appropriate how many referrals were referred to police because it was thought to be a policing matter? Please also include who the referral was made by, i.e. police, councillor, council worker etc. (In the answers please include all cases where people were elected at the time they were referred, so even if they are no longer elected, but were referred two years ago when they were elected, please include all such cases in the figures.)

4.Although you may not be in a position to release the names of the people concerned with each referral, please do if you are in a position to, please can you give as much detail as possible about what political party they are from and detail this next to each referral and reason for each referral being made.

Reference: 12521 **Received:** 10/02/2016

Request details: Child Protection Plans

1. How many children are on a Child Protection Plan?

2. How many children are on a Child Protection Plan as a result of a concern of domestic violence / abuse.

3. How many children are on a Child Protection Plan as a result of concerns over Female Genital Mutilation (FGM)?

4. How many referrals have been made to the Multi Agency Safeguarding Hub / Children's Services of concerns of FGM?

Reference: 12522 **Received:** 10/02/2016

Request details: E-mail Newsletters

Do you currently use e-mail newsletters to communicate with residents?

How many people have signed up to to receive these emails (if possible please break down by residents, business owners, partners, etc.).

What product/software/solution do you currently use to deliver this service?

How much do you pay annually for the solution?

How often do you send out e-mails?

Which department(s) has responsibility for collating content and/or distributing the e-newsletters?

Do you use a text messaging solution to communicate with residents, if so, what is the solution/product/software?

How much do you pay annually for this text message solution?

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Reference: 12523 **Received:** 10/02/2016

Request details: Temporary Agency Staff

1. How much money did the Council spend on temporary agency staff for the financial year 2014/2015?

2. What formal arrangements are in place with regards to temporary agency staffing, and if an arrangement is in place with whom? (i.e. Managed service, PSL, etc.)

Reference: 12524 **Received:** 10/02/2016

Request details: Flat Purchase

Can I please ask if you can send me any information about the flat, the building and the area that you can provide to help me making the decision

The information required can be about, any major issues about the flat, the building, the area, etc., or future developments in the surrounding area, expectations, comparisons, prices, etc. I'd appreciate if you can send me as much relevant information as you can.

Reference: 12525 **Received:** 10/02/2016

Request details: Agency Staff

I am interested in the amounts paid by all Schools in Wandsworth LEA to third parties in relation to temporary agency staffing cover. My hope is to receive an electronic breakdown of amounts paid through the department's purchase ledger by school from January 2015 to present day.

Reference: 12526 **Received:** 10/02/2016

Request details: Empty Properties

I would like to make a request regarding empty properties for the use of young people under the age of 25.

Reference: 12527 **Received:** 15/02/2016

Request details: Contract with Leonard Cheshire

In response to my query at the end of January 2015, you indicated that at that point you did not have a contract for the provision of social care facilities with Leonard Cheshire Disability.

I wonder if you could please confirm whether you have initiated a contract with this charity for such facilities in the intervening months between your response to that request, and this request? I should be grateful if you could please indicate if you have or haven't.

If you have, I should be grateful if you could inform me what representations, if any, Leonard Cheshire have made to yourselves to enable them to pay their carers the Living Wage as set by the Living Wage Foundation (NB: this is different from the "living wage" as described by the Chancellor in the Autumn statement.)

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Reference: 12528 **Received:** 11/02/2016

Request details: Staff Positions

Could you confirm who holds or act in the following positions within Corporate Services:

CORPORATE SERVICES

Corporate Director of Category Management
Head of Category Management
All Category Managers
Corporate Director of Procurement
Head of Procurement
All Procurement Managers

Could you also confirm who holds or act in the following positions within Adults Social Care (if there is no team/individual in Adults Social Care in these positions could you please highlight this)

ADULTS SOCIAL CARE

Head of Category Management within Adults Social Care
All Category Managers within Adults Social Care

Director of Procurement within Adults Social Care
Head of Procurement within Adults Social Care
All Procurement Managers who are responsible for the Procurement within the following service areas:

Older Peoples Services
Mental Health
Learning Disabilities
Physical Disabilities
Domiciliary Care
Complex Care
Adults Transportation

Could you also confirm who holds or act in the following positions within Children Social Care (if there is no team/individual in Children Social Care in these positions could you please highlight this)

CHILDREN SOCIAL CARE

Head of Category Management within Children Services
All Category Managers within Children Services
Director of Procurement within Children Services
Head of Procurement within Children Services
All Procurement Managers who are responsible for procurement within the following service areas:

Children in Care Placements
Looked After Children
Children in Need
Child Protection
Early Intervention and Prevention
Fostering
Adoption
Physical Disabilities

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Reference: 12529 **Received:** 11/02/2016

Request details: Social Workers with a Business

Is it normal for some or all or a few social workers who are paid by the authority to have a personal business?

1 If this is normal does that social worker and their business get their clients customers from service users of the Council?

2 Are you aware the number of social workers who have their own business?

3 Are you aware of the number of social workers have a business similar to their own profession for e.g. a child protection officer who has a business as a foster care agency?

4 How many social workers haven't declared they had a business and now have got in to trouble by some other agency or the Council?

Reference: 12530 **Received:** 11/02/2016

Request details: Social Workers Conduct

1 How many social workers for years 2000 to 2015 year by year figures have been sacked due to misconduct?

2 How many social workers have had their job role reduced or been downgraded, for example a principle social worker now is a normal social worker with no responsibility for staff?

3 How many social workers have moved jobs into other areas from 2000 to 2015 year by year figures?

Reference: 12531 **Received:** 11/02/2016

Request details: Licensed HMO's

Please can you provide me with the following information :

(a) addresses of all Registered Residential HMO properties that are within your councils area; and

(b) the maximum number of occupants that each property referred to in (a) is licensed to hold;

(c) the last actual registered number of occupants that each property referred to in (a) holds;

(d) the date each of the properties in (a) was first registered as HMO;

(e) the names of the owners/licence holders of those properties referred to in (a).

Reference: 12532 **Received:** 11/02/2016

Request details: Domestic Homicide

1.How many Domestic Homicide Reviews carried by the Council since January 2010 have identified stalking behaviour as being present in the behaviour of the perpetrator in the 12 months preceding the homicide?

2.What proportion of Domestic Homicides occurred after the relationship had ended?

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Reference: 12533 **Received:** 11/02/2016

Request details: Business rates

Please provide a list (in Excel format) of all schools in your council area that are liable to pay business rates. Please include the following information Ratepayer whether it be the Local Education Authority, Rateable Value, VOA Reference Number, any reliefs they may be currently receiving i.e Mandatory or SBRR. The information should be provided in the following format/columns.

Col 1: Ratepayer
Col 2: VOA Reference Number
Col 3: Type Of Relief
Col 4: Rateable Value

Reference: 12534 **Received:** 11/02/2016

Request details: Confidential Viability Assessments

On an annual basis, how many 'confidential' viability assessments have been submitted each year by developers for residential developments since April 2011?

On an annual basis, how many 'confidential' viability assessments have been submitted by developers for new commercial developments since April 2011?

Please could you also tell me the names of the developers, the sites that the confidential viability assessments have been submitted for, and the planning reference in your planning system.

Reference: 12535 **Received:** 12/02/2016

Request details: Planning Applications

Please provide a list (in Excel format) of all planning applications submitted on or after 1st October 2013 where no decision was made within 26 weeks (unless a longer period has been agreed in writing between the applicant and the local planning authority) and NO refund of fees has been made to date. The information should be provided in the following format/columns.

Col 1: Planning Application Number
Col 2: Applicant Name
Col 3: Planning Application Date
Col 4: Planning Application Fee Paid / £
Col 5: Decision 'Due By' Date
Col 6: Decision Date 'Actual'
Col 7: Extension Agreed (if appropriate) - Yes or No?

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Reference: 12536 **Received:** 12/02/2016

Request details: Cleaning Services

How much has your organisation spent annually over the last five years on the cleaning services?

Is Soft Facility Management (FM) service provided in-house or out sourced? If out sourced, who are the providers of this service, length of the contract and termination date?

If the soft FM services are provided in-house, please provide a cost analysis of all chemical cleaning detergents used to clean the commercial and domestic properties and suppliers name.

Does your organisation use 100% environmentally friendly cleaning products, please state the products?

Please state within your organisation the person responsible for the procurement of the janitorial and cleaning products; please provide contact details.

Reference: 12537 **Received:** 12/02/2016

Request details: Independent Foster Agencies

1.Does the authority operate a commissioning Framework for the provision of Independent Foster Agency services?

A.If so, when does the Framework expire? Is there a period to extend it?

B.Is the Framework accessed by a number of different authorities as part of a partnership or consortium?

2.What was the authority's spend on Independent Foster Agency Placements in the financial year 2014/2015?

3.How many IFA placements did the authority make in the financial year 2014/2015? Please can you break these down by age category and gender? Please use the table below as a reference.

4.Please can you provide the contact details for the lead person for commissioning of IFA placements?

Reference: 12538 **Received:** 12/02/2016

Request details: Outstanding Planning Permission

Please can you provide me with a list of all current residential sites of 10 or more dwellings with outstanding planning permission, on which work has not started including:

1. The reference number.

2. The location.

3. Total number of dwellings approved.

4. The number of dwellings on which work has not yet started.

5. Date of when the planning permission is due to expire.

Reference: 12539 **Received:** 12/02/2016

Request details: Empty Properties

Can you please provide me with the number of empty properties by ward and postcode - no addresses - in your borough.

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Reference: 12540 **Received:** 12/02/2016

Request details: Spending Cuts

I know that the government is reducing the grants, but what exactly is happening with our borough? Did we have an issue with excessive business support staff, and if so are we doing anything about that?

Also, just out of curiosity, how much money are we spending for these functions as a Council and if there was a reduction of this staff, how much money are we saving? Have we looked into this and if so do we have any future plans on this?

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Reference: 12541 **Received:** 12/02/2016

Request details: Abuse Cases in Mosques

- 1). How many cases of complaint or allegations relating to physical abuse which took place in a Mosque or Madrassa for the following years 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015?
- 2) How many cases of complaint or allegation relating to sexual abuse did you receive which took place in a Mosque or Madrassa for the following years 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015?
- 3). How many cases of complaint or allegation relating to emotional abuse did you receive which took place in a Mosque or Madrassa for the following years 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015?
- 4) For each case in questions 1, 2 and 3 what action was taken against the perpetrator in each case?
- 5). In each case please say if the allegation or complaint was against an; adult on a child 16 or under OR mosque/Madrassa student); adult on adult(over 16 and not a student); child on child (16 or under or students).
- 6) If no action was taken for each allegation what was the reason for this?
- 7) How many of the allegations for each year led to police involvement?
- 8) How many of the accusations led to police cautions?
- 9) How many criminal prosecutions were brought about against perpetrators?
- 10) How many people were convicted in court for the above cases?
- 11) What was the longest sentence given to a perpetrator for any of the above cases?
- 12) How many different institutions did all of the all allegations take place in, i.e. (if 5 allegations took place in one institution please count this as one).
- 13) What was the age of the youngest victim(s) and the age of the oldest victim who suffered abuse?
- 14) Is it Council policy to for all Madrassa/Mosque teachers to have child safety protection training?
- 15) How many Mosques and Madrassa's are currently teaching children in your authority?

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Reference: 12542 **Received:** 12/02/2016

Request details: Roadworks

What is the total number of outstanding roadworks/road maintenance projects (i.e. ones that are not yet complete) in your council area?

What is the total distance (in miles) that these outstanding roadworks cover (e.g. 10 miles)? If possible, could you also provide the average length of the outstanding roadworks/road maintenance project?

How many roadworks projects currently underway in your council area require a traffic diversion or detour?

What is the longest outstanding roadworks/road maintenance project on the road in your area?

Please can you provide the name of the road where these works are located, how long they have been going on for (in days) and if possible the reason for these works (e.g. fixing a pothole)?

What is the total number of roadworks/road maintenance projects that have been completed over the past five years? Please can you break this down by year: 2010/11, 2011/12, 2012/13, 2013/14 and 2014/15.

How much in total (£) have you spent on roadworks/road maintenance projects in your area over the past five years? Please can you provide a figure for each year: 2010/11, 2011/12, 2012/13, 2013/14 and 2014/15.

What are the most common reasons that require roadworks to be undertaken (i.e. potholes, resurfacing)?

What is the road in your area with the highest number of roadworks projects on it over the past three years? Please can you break this down by year: 2012/13, 2013/14 and 2014/15.

Reference: 12543 **Received:** 12/02/2016

Request details: Social Care

Please provide me with the following information, for 2015 as a whole:

- The number of people who have died while waiting for a social care package to commence, after an assessment has been made.
 - The number of people who waited more than a year, or who have been waiting more than a year for a social care package to commence.
- In the week of January 25 to January 31, how many hours of agreed social care went unmet.

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Reference: 12544 **Received:** 12/02/2016

Request details: Procurement

What is the name of your council?
Type of council (put an X in the category matching your council.
Please give the email address for the person who has overall responsibility for procurement in your Authority, e.g. in this format.
How does your council organise the procurement function?
What proportion of your Authority's procurement service work is outsourced to any third party procurement service providers (who then procure goods and services on your behalf)?
If you do outsource any of your procurement service, which methods do you use?
Does your Authority procure on behalf of other organisations?
If yes, which types of organisations does your Authority procure for?
If yes, do you charge for this service?
If you do charge for this service, how do calculate your charges?
How many FTE staff are involved in providing your procurement service functions?
If you have a document Procurement service structure, including FTEs and salary scales for each role, please email it.
For 2014/15 what was the total cost, net of any external income or internal recharges, for your Authority's procurement service?
How is your procurement service funded?
What was the contract value procured by your Authority during 2013/14?
If your Authority uses Category Management, which categories do you use?
If you include social value in your tenders, what social value measures did you include in your 2014/15 tenders?
And how did your Authority measure the impact and score for social value in tenders?
Are you using a tool to measure the impact of awarding contracts to local suppliers on the local economy (e.g. LM3)?
What are your financial thresholds for determining the route to market, when targeting local suppliers, when using: 3 Quotes.
What are your financial thresholds for determining the route to market, when targeting local suppliers, when using: Tenders.
Do you provide a CONTACT MANAGEMENT SERVICE that is separate from the procurement service?
If yes, what are the core contract areas covered by the Contract Management service?
And how is the Contract Management service funded?
If you have a service structure for the Contracts Management service please send a copy to me.

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Reference: 12545 **Received:** 15/02/2016

Request details: Templeton Manor

I am requesting all information regarding the planning discussions and plans between the owners of Templeton Manor, their advisers or representatives, that would have or may have encouraged the planning office or committee to approve or advise on plans regarding the property. This should be dated back to when the Planning office were advising the potential purchasers of Templeton as to what the likelihood of obtaining planning would be like in the event of a purchase ... and should include details such as if any of the planners were hired to work for or advise, at any time, by the owners of Templeton or any of their advisers or representatives (i.e. architects or building consultants), if that were the case.

In addition, I am requesting all information related to all or any communications from the Council to the developer (Richstone) of Templeton Manor, or their employees or advisers, notifying the Templeton Manor estate/the building project of any breaches of council, building, Tree Protection, TPO or planning regulations and any communications notifying the developer of any potential action or inspections that the Council were due to enforce.

Reference: 12546 **Received:** 15/02/2016

Request details: Fireworks Licences

Please send me details of all the companies who have a licence to supply fireworks within your region.

Reference: 12547 **Received:** 15/02/2016

Request details: School Applications

1. The number of investigations your authority has undertaken into suspicious applications for:

- a) primary school places
- b) secondary school places

in the following years:

- 2013/14
- 2014/15
- 2015/16
- 2016/17

Please take these years to mean the academic year to which the application relates (i.e. if they applied in January 2015 for the 2015/16 academic year, please count this as 2015/16).

Where possible, please briefly outline the nature of the suspicions (e.g. incorrect addresses, religious affiliations).

2. The outcomes (if known) of these investigations.

Please break this data down by primary and secondary applications and also by each year.

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Reference: 12548 **Received:** 15/02/2016

Request details: Film Revenue

For the years 2006 to 2015 inclusive, would you please fully disclose the following details, breaking the figures by year:

1. How much revenue has been received by your organisation for services rendered to film and television productions? This could include location rental, permits and all other services related to film productions using your personnel or resources.

2. Please outline the type of work or service rendered, in each case and disclose the revenue received for each type of service.

3. How much has your organisation spent on facilitating such arrangements between 2006 to 2015, inclusive, broken down by year?

Reference: 12549 **Received:** 15/02/2016

Request details: Violence Against Social Workers

1. Which policy(ies) related to a prevention of Social work staff from service user violence do you have. If possible, please send your policy(ies) via e-mail as an attachment or please provide link to the online version of policy(ies).

2. Which training related to prevention, reduce and/or dealing with work-related violence against Social Workers was available for staff within the last 12 months?

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Reference: 12550 Received: 15/02/2016

Request details: Bats and Nesting Birds

BATS

1. 7 of the 18 species of bat found in the UK have been seen and recorded in Battersea Park. In addition to this, the Environmental Impact Assessment associated with last year's Formula E planning application (which is the same document submitted for this year's event) confirms that suitable habitat for bat roosts exists within the park, stating "A considerable number of mature trees are present within the site, particularly in the form of mature London Planes, several of which were noted to include rot holes, evident cavities and features that could be used by bats." Despite this, in your official capacity as Enable LC Bio-diversity Manager, you did not request any form of bat survey to be carried out in association with the 2015 Formula E event. Please can you explain why you did not consider it necessary to carry out a bat survey?

2. On the 11th November 2015 you sent an email to the Bat Conservation Trust enquiring about the impacts of ultra-high frequency noise on bats, specifically referring to the Formula E event. Given that the event takes place during the day, when bats are in their roosts, by sending this email it can logically be inferred that you believe there to be roosting bats in the park during the day. Is it your personal opinion that there ARE bat roosts within Battersea Park?

3. Are you aware that the proposed Formula E development site within Battersea Park fulfils three of the habitat criteria under which a bat survey should be requested in accordance with Paragraph 4 Box 2.1 of the Bat Surveys Good Practise Guidelines 2nd Edition 2012 produced by the Bat Conservation Trust? (If any one of these criteria is fulfilled a survey should be requested).

4. Are you aware of the fact that bat surveys are specifically carried out in areas where there are no known roosts in order to establish whether there are any roosts or not?

5. Are you aware that based on Good Practise Guidelines from the Bat Conservation Trust and also advice on the UK Government website the mere presence of bats and / or a known roost and / or trees or features that bats tend to use is sufficient to warrant a bat survey?

6. Are you aware that commuting and foraging bat routes must also not be disturbed and have de facto legal protection?

7. Are you aware that the London Wildlife Trust have lodged an official objection to the current Formula E planning application (2015/7363) that specifically highlights the need for a bat survey in order to assess the impact the event will have on this protected species? They also state that the Formula E event sets a worrying precedent that could lead to a decline in the wildlife potential of Battersea Park and long-term erosion of ecological interests of a Site of Metropolitan Importance for Nature Conservation. Link to LWT objection on Wandsworth Council planning site here:

<https://planning.wandsworth.gov.uk/WAM/doc/Objection%20Comment-3894080.doc?extension=.doc&id=3894080&location=volume9&contentType=application/msword&pageCount=1>

8. Are you aware that the Metropolitan Police Wildlife Crime Unit has contacted Wandsworth Council directly and requested sight of any planning documents or objections submitted in connection with the Formula E event?

9. Based on all the information I refer to in questions 1-8 above, do you believe that it is necessary for a full bat survey to be carried out in association with the current planning application for the 2016 Formula E event (2015/7363)?

10. If the answer to question 9 is NO, then please clearly explain why you do not believe a full bat survey is necessary given all the evidence, guidelines and informed opinion that suggests a bat survey is necessary?

11. If the answer to question 9 is YES, then please explain what mitigation strategies the council suggest if bat roosts are found within the development site? It is illegal to disturb a roost even when it is empty so all construction in that area

must be prohibited.

12. How do the council and Formula E intend to mitigate the fact that construction / derig and the physical presence of the 3.5m racetrack itself will almost certainly directly affect commonly used bat foraging and commuting routes?

NESTING BIRDS

1. The entire 3 week Formula E event in summer 2015 took place in peak bird nesting season. Last year, at a rough estimate, Formula E construction took place within very close proximity (touching distance) of about 200-300 mature trees. This included direct disturbance of tree canopies by machinery and also tree works. In addition to this there were also countless smaller trees and shrubs in equally close proximity to the race track. There is no doubt at all that there were nesting birds, which are a protected species, within the development site. Despite this fact, in your official capacity as Enable LC Bio-diversity Manager, you did not deem it necessary to request any form of nesting bird survey to be carried out in association with the planning application for the 2015 Formula E event (2014/6976). Please can you explain why you did not consider it necessary to carry out a nesting bird survey prior to the 2015 Formula E event?

2. Are you aware of the fact that at least 4 Red List species can potentially utilise the Battersea Park site (house sparrow, common starling, dunnock and song thrush)? All these birds are UKBAP priority bird species.

3. As regards nesting birds, the EIA associated with the current Formula E planning application (2015/7363) (which is identical to that submitted last year) totally fails to consider both the highly intrusive 3 week construction / derig phase of the event and also the sustained helicopter noise during the event itself. Are you aware of this oversight?

4. Are you aware of the fact that the London Wildlife Trust has posted an official objection to the current Formula E planning application (2015/7363) that specifically highlights the need for a nesting bird survey to be carried out in order to ascertain the effects the event will have on nesting birds? Link here: <https://planning.wandsworth.gov.uk/WAM/doc/Objection%20Comment-3894080.doc?extension=.doc&id=3894080&location=volume9&contentType=application/msword&pageCount=1>

5. Are you aware that the Campaign for Rural England have posted an official objection to the current Formula E planning application (2015/7363) that specifically highlights the need for a nesting bird survey to be carried out? Link to objection here:

<https://planning.wandsworth.gov.uk/WAM/doc/Objection%20Comment-3894191.pdf?extension=.pdf&id=3894191&location=volume9&contentType=application/pdf&pageCount=1>

6. As with bats, are you aware that the Metropolitan Police Wildlife Crime Unit has contacted Wandsworth Council directly and requested sight of any planning documents or objections submitted in connection with the Formula E event?

7. The entire proposed 3 week Formula E event for summer 2016 will take place during peak bird nesting season. At a rough estimate, Formula E construction will take place within very close proximity (touching distance) of about 200-300 mature trees. This includes direct disturbance of tree canopies by machinery and also tree works. In addition to this there are also countless smaller trees and shrubs in equally close proximity to the race track. There is no doubt at all that there will be nesting birds, which are a protected species, within the development site. Considering this fact, and all the other information I have referred to in questions 1-6 above, do you believe it is necessary to carry out a full nesting bird survey prior to the 2016 Formula E event? It will be necessary to carry this survey out very close to the event indeed (for example, one week before) in order to fully ascertain the presence of any nests.

8. If the answer to question 7 is NO, then please explain why you do not consider it necessary to carry out a nesting bird survey?

9. Are you aware that in accordance with the Wildlife & Countryside Act 1981 it is illegal to intentionally disturb or destroy the active nest of any wild bird or prevent

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a breeding bird from accessing its nest?

10. Bearing in mind the information contained within question 9, and based on the assumption that a nesting bird survey WILL be required in association with this summer's event, what will the council's mitigation strategy be for the bird nests that will inevitably be found within the development site? Any disturbance at all is illegal and it will be illegal to continue Formula E construction within areas of a site that might potentially disturb a nest or prevent breeding birds from accessing a nest.

Reference: 12551 **Received:** 15/02/2016

Request details: Children Subject to Care Order

1. Number of children in local authority care, whom were subject to an emergency protection order AND THE number returned to the care of their birth parent(s).
2. Number of children in local authority care, whom were subject to an interim care order AND THE number returned to the care of their birth parent(s).
3. Number of children in local authority care, whom were subject to a full care order AND THE number returned to the care of their birth parent(s).
4. Number of children in local authority care, whom were subject to S.20 (voluntary care agreement) AND NUMBER returned to the care of their birth parent(s).
5. Number of Emergency Protection Orders, Interim Care Orders, Full Care Orders and Placement Orders AND THE NUMBER discharged/revoked by the Local Authority.

I require the above information for the following years:

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Reference: 12553 **Received:** 15/02/2016

Request details: Land Purchase & Regeneration

Will you disclose spending and what amount has been borrowed for;

- A) Purchases relating to land and property.
- B) money spent on regeneration and building development.

For each of the last 10 years and what you anticipate and plan on spending with regard to these subjects for future years.

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Reference: 12554 **Received:** 16/02/2016

Request details: Housing Repairs

I wish to make a Freedom of Information Act Request about the works costs incurred to Wandsworth Council to prepare for auction the property they previously made a compulsory purchase order of, comprising of 20 Farlton Road, Earlsfield, London, SW18 3BL, which was sold on Wandsworth's behalf in 2014.

Reference: 12555 **Received:** 16/02/2016

Request details: Business Rates

Please can you provide me with the following with regards to Business Rates:
a.All properties in your Billing Authority
b.Rate Payer
c.Billing Authority Reference
d.Rateable value
e.Liability Date

Reference: 12556 **Received:** 16/02/2016

Request details: Staff Employed in Private Rentals

Could you please tell me how many FTE staff you have working on enforcement in private rented housing?

Could you also please tell me how many FTE Tenancy Relations Officers you employ?

I would like this information from 2012 to present, with annual figures running along the financial year if possible.

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Reference: 12557 **Received:** 16/02/2016

Request details: Social Workers Staffing Levels

1) Social worker staffing levels. Figures relating to part-time posts should be rounded up and included within the overall figures for full-time equivalent (FTE) staff. Please do not provide a headcount.

(a) The number of qualified social worker posts in adult services at 16 February 2016 including filled and unfilled posts.

(b) The number of qualified social worker posts in adult services that were vacant at 16 February 2016 i.e. the number of posts unfilled by either permanent or agency staff.

(c) The number of qualified social worker posts in adult services that were being filled by agency workers at 16 February 2016.

(d) The number of qualified social worker posts in children's services at 16 February 2016 including filled and unfilled posts.

(e) The number of qualified social worker posts in children's services that were vacant at 16 February 2016 i.e. the number of posts unfilled by either permanent or agency staff.

(f) The number of qualified social worker posts in children's services that were being filled by agency workers at 16 February 2016.

2) How many social workers (FTE equivalent) did your authority/trust recruit from overseas in the 2014/15 and 2015/16 (to date) financial years in (a) adult services and (b) children's services?

3) Please provide a list detailing all financial incentives/other additional benefits offered to recruit and retain permanent and temporary social work staff during the past 12 months.

This should include, but not be limited to: 'golden hellos', weekday/temporary accommodation allowances, direct housing provision, retention bonuses, cycle to work schemes, travel season tickets etc. Please set this answer out in a spreadsheet with a row for each individual incentive, and columns showing how many staff members received the benefit and where applicable any per-person financial limits. (eg Overseas relocation bonus | 23 | £2,000)

4) What, if any additional benefits does your authority/trust intend to provide to recruit and retain permanent and temporary staff over the 2016/17 financial year?

5) Please provide a list of all recruitment agencies used by your authority/trust to source social work staff.

6) How much money was spent on hiring agency social workers in the 2014/15 and 2015/16 (to date) financial years in (a) adult services and (b) children's services?

7) Has your authority/trust entered into any collaborative agreements with others to cap pay rates for agency social work staff within your region?

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Reference: 12558 **Received:** 16/02/2016

Request details: Pension Fund

I am interested in getting more information about Wandsworth Council Pension fund's investments in close-ended, pooled investment vehicles such as private equity or real estate funds.

More specifically, I would like to know on a fund by fund basis:

1. How much was committed to each fund by the pension fund, and on which dates.
2. How much has been invested into each fund, and the relevant dates.
3. How much has been distributed back to the pension fund from each fund, with the relevant dates.
4. The market value of each fund.
5. The Net IRR of each fund (since inception).
6. The management fee (%) charged annually on assets under management by the fund provider.

For all of the data listed above, I would also be interested in historic information if available.

Reference: 12559 **Received:** 16/02/2016

Request details: s.106 Payments

How many section 106 negotiations have resulted in off-site payments in lieu from developers for 2011-12, 2012-13, 2013-14 and 2014-15?
Please tell me how much in off-site payments the Council has received for each of the above years.
Please tell me how much the Council has spent using off-site payments for affordable housing, including where this money has partly but not fully funded a development.
Please tell me where this affordable housing was located for each of the above years.
If these off-site payments have not been used to build new affordable housing, please tell me what they were used for each of the above years.

Reference: 12560 **Received:** 16/02/2016

Request details: Leased Vehicles

Can you provide the job title and email address for Ricky Cousins? Also can you provide the number of vehicles leased from Automotive leasing and the contract dates?

Reference: 12561 **Received:** 17/02/2016

Request details: Enable LC Bio-diversity Manager

Please can you confirm that the Enable LC Bio-diversity Manager) has suitable qualifications and experience in the ecological field of both bats and nesting birds and is also suitably qualified to analyse ecological surveys regarding these two protected species in order to determine whether or not a survey is necessary?

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Reference: 12562 **Received:** 17/02/2016

Request details: Section 106 Agreement

I'm requesting you provide me with the Section 106 agreement referred to in the Planning Officer Report re PA 2015-5016, a copy of which is attached, IF such a document in executed form exists at present.

I am also asking you to send me:

1. The current draft of this Section 106 agreement.
 2. The final agreement in executed form immediately upon its completion.
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Reference: 12563 **Received:** 17/02/2016

Request details: Looked After Children

1. How many Looked After Vietnamese children (if possible, specifically Unaccompanied Asylum Seeking children) went missing a. permanently, b. temporarily, each month for 2013, 2014, 2015 and the Jan 2016?

2. How many Looked After Albanian children (if possible, specifically Unaccompanied Asylum Seeking children) went missing a. permanently, b. temporarily, each month for 2013, 2014, 2015 and the Jan 2016?

3. If possible- How many children in the local authorities care are classified as vulnerable. How many of these are unaccompanied asylum seeking children?

4. How many times did the local authority send a child for dental x-ray as part of an age assessment, broken down by month in 2013, 2014, 2015 and Jan 2016

Reference: 12564 **Received:** 17/02/2016

Request details: Contact with Children

1. Within children's services, approximately how many children (defined as any person under the age of 18 pursuant to UK law and the definition provided by the 1989 UN Convention of the Rights of the Child) do you have professional contact with on a weekly basis?

2. Within Youth Offending Services, how many young people (defined as any person under the age of 18 pursuant to UK law and the definition provided by the 1989 UN Convention of the Rights of the Child) do you have professional contact with on a weekly basis?

Reference: 12565 **Received:** 17/02/2016

Request details: Ecology Consultancy Emails

1. Please can you send me all email exchanges between the Ecology Consultancy and Wandsworth Council / Wandsworth Parks Department / Enable LC employees regarding Battersea Park between March 2014 and September 2014.

2. Please can you send me all email exchanges between the Ecology Consultancy and Wandsworth Council / Wandsworth Parks Department / Enable LC employees regarding Battersea Park between September 2015 and February 2016.

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Reference: 12566 **Received:** 17/02/2016

Request details: Care Orders

How many applications for care orders and/or to make a child a ward of court has the Council made relating to children thought to be at risk of joining, or planning to join (through their families or alone), the Islamic State in Syria?

Please specify the age of each child and the outcome of each application where known.

If possible, please state where a care order or wardship application has been made multiple times in relation to the same child.

Reference: 12567 **Received:** 17/02/2016

Request details: Contract with Council Suppliers

Rubbish has been left on Fraser Court landing for almost two weeks now and this is one of the Council suppliers!.

Under the Freedom of Information Act can I receive the policy agreement Wandsworth Council has with their suppliers?

Reference: 12568 **Received:** 17/02/2016

Request details: Black Street Bins

I would like to request the names of all parties (organisations or companies) responsible for the repair, removal and replacement of black street bins within the London Borough of Wandsworth. If there is more than one, please could you explain the exact role and responsibility of each.

Reference: 12569 **Received:** 17/02/2016

Request details: Free Schools

1) Has the local authority raised any objection(s) to any Free School proposal (please specify yes/no)? If yes, please provide details, including:
a.the name of the Free School proposal,
b.the year the Free School proposal was made,
c.the reason(s) regarding the objection(s)/what the objection was,
d.whether the objections were subsequently addressed by the Department for Education/Regional Schools Commissioner,
e.whether the proposal was approved by the Department for Education/Regional Schools Commissioner

2) Since 2010, has the local authority asked an academy/Free School to expand (please specify yes/no)? If yes, please provide details, including:
a. the name of the academy/Free School asked
b. the phase of the academy/Free School (ie primary/secondary/all-through/16-19)
c. the proposed size of the expansion (ie how many school places would the expansion create)
d. whether the academy/Free School agreed/declined to expand (please state agreed/declined or decision pending).
E. If the academy/Free School declined, did the local authority expand a maintained school instead (please specify yes/no)?

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Reference: 12570 **Received:** 17/02/2016

Request details: Sports Facilities

1) Please provide the total expenditure on the purchase of new sports facilities/provision, and the refurbishment of existing sports facilities/provision in 2014-15 in maintained schools in your local authority. Please break down your response by school, as well as the type of facility or provision.

Please include:

- Purchase and replacement of new sports equipment, e.g. tennis rackets, goalposts
- Purchase and refurbishment of facilities, e.g. playing fields, gyms, sports halls
- Expenditure on partnerships with local sports/leisure centres
- Any other sporting or exercise facilities that your maintained schools spent money on in 2014-15

2) Please provide the total expenditure from your local authority on community sports facilities and provision for the following years: a) 2012-2013, b) 2013-2014, c) 2014-2015. Please break down your response by the type of facility or provision.

Please include:

- Funding for sports clubs;
 - Upkeep of playing fields and courts;
 - Construction, refurbishment and improvement of sports centres;
 - Any other sporting or exercise facilities that your local authority spends money on in the given year.
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Reference: 12571 **Received:** 18/02/2016

Request details: Specialist Equipment for Children

Please can you provide me with following information:

How long, in weeks, children (under 16s) waited for an assessment for a wheelchair or specialist seating following an initial referral to the children's wheelchair service.

How long, in weeks, children had to wait to receive equipment following the assessment.

Please provide data for children referred in 2014 and for those referred in 2015.

Data could be grouped by weeks - less than 4 weeks, 4 to less than 8 weeks, 8 weeks to less than 12 weeks, 12 weeks to less than 16 weeks and more than 16 weeks.

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Reference: 12572 **Received:** 18/02/2016

Request details: Development Rights

1. The number of applications for prior approval for office to residential conversions under permitted development rights from May 2013 to Oct 2015 in your borough?
 2. The number of applications for prior approval for office to residential conversions under permitted development rights from the extension in Oct 2015 to present day or close to in your borough?
 3. The number of successful applications for prior approval of office to residential conversion in your borough?
 4. The number of successful applications for prior approval for office to residential conversion that have been or are being built in your borough?
 5. How many residential units has the permitted development rights for office to residential conversions produced? And how many units per build in your borough?
 6. What percentage of affordable housing is being produced in conversions of office to residential developments? Or the number of affordable housing units being produced under the scheme?
 7. What is the average size of unit being provided by permitted development office to residential conversions in your borough?
 8. What is the average price of a unit being provided by permitted development office to residential conversions in your borough?
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Reference: 12573 **Received:** 18/02/2016

Request details: Sharpe Pritchard Costs

This request relates to the total costs incurred by the Council from SP and FJ and her contracting organisation in connection with PA 2014-3016 and PA's 2015 - 3103, 3466, 4250, 5016, 5067, 5229, 5333, 5732 or any other subsequent PA or matter in connection with the development site that has been repeatedly described by the Council as the land behind No 88 Thurleigh Road (the site).

In relation to both SP and FJ and/or her contracting organisation I would like to receive the following:

1. The total costs incurred re the site excluding VAT.
2. The total ad-hoc expenses and disbursements incurred re the site.
3. The total costs including expenses, disbursements and VAT incurred re the site.

Please provide the details of the Sharpe Pritchard and separately the Ms Fiona Jones costs, broken down as previously specified, incurred by the Council to 18th February with regard to all matters in connection with the land behind 88 Thurleigh Road.

Reference: 12574 **Received:** 18/02/2016

Request details: Planning Application (2)

How could people opt in / opt out of being informed? Was the default setting to be included in any further emails regarding Formula E or did people have to specifically (or explicitly re: 7 above) state that they wanted to receive further emails?

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Reference: 12575 **Received:** 18/02/2016

Request details: Primary School Places

1. How many additional primary school places are needed in the local authority by the September of the following years; 2016; 2017; 2018; 2019; 2020?
2. How many additional secondary school places are needed in the local authority by the September of the following years; 2016; 2017; 2018; 2019; 2020?
Please consider and include local need for school places i.e. whether there is a need for additional school places in some planning areas, despite a surplus across the local authority as a whole.
Please provide figures for across all year groups (and not just for example at reception in primary schools).
Please specify the number of places and not how many FE this is equivalent to.
Please do not give the numbers as a running total. For example, if 30 additional primary places were needed by September 2017, and a further 20 primary places by September 2018, please record 30, then 20 and not 30, then 50.

Reference: 12577 **Received:** 18/02/2016

Request details: Bullying & Harassment (2)

Of the 6 employees of your authority that made an official complaint of harassment and bullying at work since the 1st April 2009, how many of the complainants said that they had been called "a loner"?

Reference: 12579 **Received:** 19/02/2016

Request details: IT Software

Please could you advise the following information?

Planning IT Software Back Office

- ✎ Name of your ICT Supplier for Planning IT Software Back Office System
- ✎ Name of Software and version number
- ✎ Contract Award Date
- ✎ Length of Contract
- ✎ Length of Any Contract Extension Options

Building Control IT Software Back Office

- ✎ Name of your ICT Supplier for Building Control IT Software Back Office System
 - ✎ Name of Software and version number
 - ✎ Contract Award Date
 - ✎ Length of Contract
 - ✎ Length of Any Contract Extension Options
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Reference: 12580 **Received:** 19/02/2016

Request details: Basement Planning Applications

- 1) How many applications were submitted for planning work involving basements in Wandsworth in 2001?
- 2) How many applications were approved for planning work involving basements in Wandsworth in 2001?

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Reference: 12581 **Received:** 19/02/2016

Request details: Fines for School Absence

Could you please tell me for each of the academic years
:: 2012/13
:: 2013/14
:: 2014/15

1. How much money was collected by the authority in fines (penalty notices) issued to parents for their child missing school without permission?
 2. What the money collected was used for. For example, given to schools, specific education programmes, etc.
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Reference: 12582 **Received:** 22/02/2016

Request details: Brightside Newsletters

Please could you supply the following old issues of Brightside newspapers in PDF format; issues 37 to 45 inclusive.

Reference: 12583 **Received:** 22/02/2016

Request details: Attacks on Teachers

All questions relate to the academic years 13/14, 14/15 and 15/16 so far. Please give a breakdown for each year.

- 1) The number of students who carried out physical attacks on primary school teachers.
 - 2) The number of students who carried out physical attacks on secondary school teachers.
 - 3) What kind of physical attacks were carried out in these instances?
 - 4) What objects were used as weapons, if any, in each of these instances?
 - 5) The injuries the teachers sustained in these instances.
 - 6) How many instances resulted in teachers needing hospital treatment for their injuries?
 - 7) How many times the police were called to schools in response to a student attacking a teacher?
 - 8) How many applications for pupils to change schools cited bullying as a reason?
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Reference: 12584 **Received:** 22/02/2016

Request details: Road Maintenance

1. How many miles of road, in total, are maintained by the Council?
2. How much has been spent on road maintenance over the last 2 years, 2013/2014 – 2014/2015?
3. How much of the total budget is allocated to road maintenance per annum?

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Reference: 12585 **Received:** 22/02/2016

Request details: Traffic Light Maintenance

1. How many permanent sets of traffic lights are maintained by the Council?
 2. How much did it cost per annum to maintain and repair the permanent traffic lights, 2013/2014 2014/2015?
 3. How many road signs and traffic signs are maintained by the council, including electronic road signals?
 4. How much was spent on the maintenance of road signage per annum over the last 2 years by the Council, 2013/2014 2014/2015?
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Reference: 12586 **Received:** 22/02/2016

Request details: Business Rates

Required Information:- A list of all live business rates accounts with a 2010 list Rateable Value greater than or equal to £25,000.
Property Reference Number (also known as Billing Authority Reference Number) of the property on which the charge is made. Please note that this is not the Rate Demand or Rate Account Number.
Current rateable value.
Account holder name.
Property address.
The billing address (where different to the property address), the contact telephone number and email address.
The date the current ratepayer became liable for the business rates; we do not require any historical account liability dates only the current ratepayers liability start date.
Where a property is currently empty please provide the date the ratepayer became liable for empty rates.
Where there is an exemption on the account please provide the start and end date and type of exemption applied (e.g. listed building).
Where there is a relief on the account please provide the date it was applied and the type of relief (e.g. charity).

Reference: 12587 **Received:** 22/02/2016

Request details: IT Software

1. Do you have any software license contract renewal this year? If so, please provide details of vendor, title, renewal date, contract value and type of license, e.g. concurrent or subscription to each software.
2. Does your organisation use any IDOX software?
3. How much was spent on last Idox software license contract? Can you break the value of the Idox contract for your each financial year individually?
4. What type of Idox license do you have, e.g. concurrent or subscription
5. Please provide details of person(s) involved in IT Software Budgeting.

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Reference: 12588 **Received:** 22/02/2016

Request details: Speed Cameras

1. How many speed cameras are currently in operation in the area administered by the Council?
 2. What was the total value of penalty fines issued to motorists from speed cameras by the Council, over the last 2 years, 2013/2014 2014/2015?
 3. I would also like to examine the impact speed cameras have on road safety by comparing the number of road accidents that occurred before and after a speed camera has been installed, please could information be provided to address the following:
 4. How many accidents were recorded on a stretch of road 2 years before a speed camera was installed? – On that same stretch of road how many road accidents were recorded 2 years after the speed camera was installed?
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Reference: 12589 **Received:** 22/02/2016

Request details: Children with SEN

1. How many children with special educational needs in your local authority area required an Education Health Care Plan or statement of SEN for transitioning from primary to secondary school in September 2016?
 2. How many of these children received their final transition Education Health Care Plan or statement by the 15 February 2016 deadline?
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Reference: 12590 **Received:** 22/02/2016

Request details: Attendance & School Fines

What is the attendance record for 5-16 year olds at state primary and secondary schools in your LA over 2012/13, 2013/14 and the latest 2014/15 academic year?

How many authorised and unauthorised absences due to family holiday for 5-16 year olds did you have in your LA during the 2012/13, 2013/14 and the 2014/15 academic year?

How many fines were issued to parents for unauthorised absences for family holidays during the 2012/13, 2013/14 and the 2014/15 academic year?

What were the total value of the fines issued for unauthorised absences for family holidays during the 2012/13, 2013/14 and the 2014/15 academic year?

How many families have been taken to court for refusing to pay the fine in total since the tougher rules came into force in your LA in September 2013?

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Reference: 12591 **Received:** 22/02/2016

Request details: Business Rates

Could you please provide on one spreadsheet (if possible) the following information in relation to ratepayers in your area :

- (a) Addresses of all hereditaments in the area;
 - (b) The ratepayer of the property (if a LTD company);
 - © The property reference for the addresses;
 - (d) Any relief the property is currently receiving including, but not limited to: mandatory, discretionary, small business rates relief, empty rates relief, etc.;
 - € The current rateable value of the property;
 - (f) The date that the data was generated.
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Reference: 12592 **Received:** 23/02/2016

Request details: Enforcement re Textile Regulations

I am interested in any enforcement action you have taken or prosecutions made against retailers or manufacturers under the Textile Products (Labelling and Fibre Composition) Regulations 2012. This would typically involve clothing placed on the market which is against regulation or not labelled properly.

Please give details of the following:

- 1) For the calendar year 2015:
 - a. Date of prosecution or enforcement action under the Textile Products (Labelling and Fibre Composition) Regulations 2012
 - b. Name of retailer or manufacturer the action was taken against
 - c. Summary of the offence
 - d. Result of action (e.g. conviction)
 - e. Penalty, if relevant

2a-e) Same for the calendar year 2014.

3a-e) Same for the calendar year 2013.

Reference: 12593 **Received:** 23/02/2016

Request details: Housing Advice

I require statistics of numbers of persons presenting to Wandsworth Council for housing advice and/or assistance both male and female that have been related to domestic violence and rape/sexual assault.

In the statistics I need the number of cases over 5 years, the numbers of both male and female cases and which of these have been housed in emergency/temporary accommodation and those housed in council/social housing as well as those that have been either deterred from making an application altogether or have been rejected under section 184 housing act.

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Reference: 12594 **Received:** 23/02/2016

Request details: Roadside Cameras

Please can you send me all correspondence and documentation relating to the use of roadside cameras in Dover House Road.

Can you send me all documentation and correspondence relating to the position of roadside cameras in Dover House Road, both fixed and mobile.

Can you send me all correspondence involving camera operator 064 relating to roadside cameras in Dover House Road.

Can you send me all documentation and correspondence relating to the road markings, signage and bus stop placement on Dover House Road from the last 5 years.

Reference: 12596 **Received:** 23/02/2016

Request details: Homeless People

Please will you kindly tell me if you are aware of the recent studies which have been done which show it cost 3 times more to jail homeless people than it does to provide them with housing & 5 times more if they are put in a hospitalised environment?

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Reference: 12597 **Received:** 23/02/2016

Request details: Housing Benefit

1..What is the highest weekly and or monthly level of housing benefit and or housing support being paid to a claimant by the local authority?
Can you please specify the particular types of benefit the claimant is receiving?
For instance is it housing benefit? Is it something else? Can you please identify the benefit? Or is it a combination of payments?

2. In the case of each claimant receiving benefit(s) at this level can you please state for how long they have been receiving benefit at this level?

3. In the case of each claimant receiving benefit(s) at this level can you please confirm whether they are receiving the money directly or whether it is being paid to a landlord or similar. In the case of each claimant receiving benefit at this level can you please state how many properties they are currently being helped with.

4. In the case of each claimant receiving benefit(s) at this level can you please state the total amount they have been paid in housing benefit and or similar by the Council. I am interested in details of all support paid to the claimant irrespective of whether it is connected with this property or was previously paid at this level.

5..In the case of each claimant receiving benefit(s) at this level can you please confirm that they are living within the council's geographical area. If they are can you please state the electoral ward they are living in. In the case of each claimant living in the Council's geographical area can you please provide their post code. If they are not living in the Council's geographic area can you please state which Council area they are living in.

6. In the case of each claimant receiving benefit(s) at this level can you please provide the number of dependents living with them. In the case of each dependent can you please provide their ages.

7.In the case of each claimant receiving benefit(s) at this level can you provide the following information:

Was the claimant born in the UK?

If not can you please state their country of origin. Although the Council may not routinely collate information about the background of claimants it is likely to hold more detailed and specific information about high claimants.

8. In the case of each claimant receiving benefit(s) at this level can you please provide basic details of their accommodation. Are they living in a house or a flat? Are they living in a hotel and/or bed and breakfast establishment or hostel. Is the property privately owned or is it owned by a council and/or housing association or similar? If the claimant is living in a house and/or flat can you please provide the following details:

Can you state the total number of rooms in the house and or flat.

Can you state the total number of bedrooms in the house/flat.

Can you state the total number of toilets and or bathrooms.

Can you please state the total number of kitchens and or dining rooms?

Can you state whether the property is privately owned.

Can you state how many storeys the property has. Can you state how many gardens the property has?

Can you state the number of garages the property has.

Is the property detached, semi-detached or a terraced house?

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Reference: 12598 **Received:** 24/02/2016

Request details: Children at Risk

1. In the 2015 calendar year how many times has the Council taken action to take children away from foster parents because of concerns for the safety of the child, i.e. the child was considered to be at risk from the actions or inactions of the foster parents? In each case please provide a brief description of what those concerns were.
 2. In the 2015 calendar year how many times has the Council taken action to take children away from adoptive parents because of concerns for the safety of the child, i.e. the child was considered to be at risk from the actions or inactions of the foster parents? In each case please provide a brief description of what those concerns were.
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Reference: 12599 **Received:** 24/02/2016

Request details: CIL Based Funding

- A.If this Authority has not yet adopted a CIL please indicate the current estimated date for adoption.
- B.However, if this Authority has already adopted a CIL please answer the following queries:
- 1.Please set out the current process used by this Local Planning Authority (LPA) for assessing and then deciding what amount of CIL-based funds will be allocated to the Local Education Authority (LEA).
 - 2.Who is the officer responsible for leading this process for this LPA?
 - 3.Who is/are the key decision-maker(s) for this LPA?
 - 4.How often has this LPA received requests for CIL-based education funding from the LEA?
 - 5.Please share details of all the requests for CIL-based education funding received from the LEA since this LPA first adopted CIL.
 - 6.Please share details of the individual amounts of education funding the LPA agreed to provide to the LEA in each case; including what type of education these funds were allocated to (early years, primary, secondary, special education needs, etc).
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Reference: 12600 **Received:** 24/02/2016

Request details: Business Rates

Please send me the following information:

A complete list of all properties within your authority including:
Valuation Office Reference Code;
Valuation Office Property Description;
Full Property Address;
Occupier Business Name (where applicable);
Current Rateable Value;
Occupation / Liability Start Date;
Stating where possible which reliefs the property receives (if any):-
Small business rates relief;
Retail relief;
Charitable reliefs;
Mandatory;
Transitional;
Exempt;
Empty.

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Reference: 12601 **Received:** 24/02/2016

Request details: In-Year Transfers

I would like to request information held by your local authority on the number of in-year transfers of children in a.) Reception and b.) Year 7 to another school in September 2015.

Please provide:

- 1.)The number of in-year transfers of reception aged children to another school in September 2015.
 - 2.)The number of in-year transfers of Year 7 aged children to another school in September 2015.
 - 3.)The reason for their transfer.
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Reference: 12602 **Received:** 24/02/2016

Request details: Tree & Shrub Pruning

Please can you inform me if any tree or shrub pruning has taken place as part of the normal programme of works within Battersea Park that would not otherwise have been necessary were it not to facilitate the Formula E event?

If the answer to this question is yes then please can you send me a detailed list and explanation of all the tree and shrub pruning works that have taken place to facilitate Formula E.

Reference: 12603 **Received:** 24/02/2016

Request details: False School Applications

For each of the last five calendar years, please can you release:

- The number of places offered to children in a) primary schools and b) secondary schools which were subsequently withdrawn after it emerged that home addresses named on application forms were false or misleading.
- Which schools this applied to.
- How many parents has the Council prosecuted for "fraud by false representation" for including false or misleading home addresses on school application forms.
- Please release the names and addresses of those parents prosecuted by the Council, as referred to above, as they have been through the courts and their details are a matter of public record.

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Reference: 12604 **Received:** 23/02/2016

Request details: Black History Month

Please could you provide me with the following information regarding black history month activities:-

What activities/events were planned for 2014/2015?

If no activities are staged as part of BHM please detail the rationale for doing so and detail what cultural events/campaigns are celebrated.

What is the overall budget to mark BHM?

How many people attended each event?

What was the cost to stage each event?

What service is responsible for delivering BHM?

How was it decided what events will be held?

Did any community groups host any events that were then promoted by the Council? If so what was the cost of this? What other costs were incurred because of this?

Was any evaluation carried out after the events? If so please provide details of the evaluation summary.

Please detail the overall cost per person based on the overall budget and the number people who attended all events.

Reference: 12605 **Received:** 24/02/2016

Request details: Applied Behavioural Analysis

Please can you tell me how many children are receiving any Applied Behavioural Analysis (ABA) provision - whether it is provided in an ABA/VB* home programme, in an ABA/VB primary or secondary special school or alongside mainstream school at any age in a part-time home/school programme. *ABA is sometimes called VB or Verbal Behaviour.

Please can you then tell me how many of them had Applied Behavioural Analysis due to a tribunal order and how many receive this without a tribunal. If without a tribunal, had parents initiated legal action but reached settlement with you for ABA before tribunal took place?

Please can you forward me any policy documents that are associated with the awarding of any Applied Behavioural Analysis provision and demonstrate how the decision is made.

Finally, please can you explain your rationale for awarding Applied Behavioural Analysis without tribunal orders. Are your criteria for awarding ABA laid out on your SEND Local Offer page?

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Reference: 12606 **Received:** 24/02/2016

Request details: Children's Services

1. Section 2, Page 5. Does the Virtual School in your authority have a robust procedure to monitor the attendance and educational achievement of looked after children (that includes eligible children) their authority looks after?
 2. Section 5, page 6. What elements of looked after children's (and eligible children) attainment and achievement are reported through the authority's corporate parenting structures?
 3. As of the date of this request, does the Virtual School in your authority currently have a strategy in place that outlines how the educational achievement of looked after children will be enhanced? Yes or no
 4. Section 5, page 6. In the 2014-15 academic session what percentage of Personal Education Plans (PEPs) produced, have been assessed as high quality and effective?
 5. Section 7, page 7. In 2015 how many fostering providers did your authority commission to deliver fostering services?
 6. Section 7, page 7, leading on from question 5, how many of those fostering providers does the authority have a robust evidence base on, that clearly demonstrates that they prioritise the educational achievement of looked after children?
 7. Section 12, page 9. In the 2014-15 academic session, what measures did the Virtual School use to assess the impact of Pupil Premium funding for looked after children?
 8. Section 22, page 11. In the 2014-15 academic session, how many of the authority's looked after children (aged up to 17), (that were in education), were educated in an educational institution judged as outstanding or good by Ofsted?
 9. Section 27, page 13. In the 2014-15 academic session, how many of the authority's looked after children were excluded from school on at least one occasion?
 10. In the 2014-15 academic session, how many of the authority's looked after children aged 19-25, returned to education or training and were supported by the authority?
- Document 2 -Promoting the health and well-being of looked after children, statutory guidance for local authorities, clinical commissioning groups and NHS England, March 2015:
11. Section 40 page 15. In 2015, what number of young people entered the care of your authority?
 12. Section 40 page 15. In 2015 what number of the young people that entered the care of your authority had a statutory initial health assessment?
 13. Section 40 page 15, In 2015 what number of the young people that entered the care of your authority, refused to have an initial health assessment?
- Isabel's Voice
- Statutory duties for local authorities aligned to the Children Act 1989.
- Key performance indicators for Local Authorities
- 21st February 2016
14. Section 42, page 15. In 2015 what number of the young people that entered the care of your authority, had their emotional health assessed by a registered medical practitioner (a person qualified to assess mental health) as part of their initial statutory health assessment?
 15. Section 42, page 15. In 2015 what number of the young people that entered the care of your authority, were assessed as needing support with their emotional well-being?
 16. Section 42, page 15. In 2015 what number of the young people that entered the care of your authority and were assessed as needing support for their emotional well-being, received a therapeutic intervention from a registered medical practitioner?
 17. Section 42, page 15. In 2015 what number of the young people that entered

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the care of your authority, had their mental health assessed by a registered medical practitioner (a person qualified to assess mental health) as part of their initial statutory health assessment?

18. Section 42, page 15. In 2015 what number of the young people that entered the care of your authority, were assessed as needing support with their mental health?

19. Section 42, page 15. In 2015 what number of the young people that entered the care of your authority and were assessed as needing support for their mental health, received a therapeutic intervention from a registered medical practitioner?

20. In 2015, what number of the total population of the authority's looked after children received an intervention with the Child and Adolescent Mental Health service (CAMHs)?

21. In 2015, how much did the authority spend on CAMHs provision?

22. How does the authority assess the impact of the CAMHs interventions delivered ?

Document 3-The children Act 1989, guidance and regulations, Volume 3: planning transition to adulthood for care leavers. October 2014:

23. Section 4.4, page 34. How many former relevant young people have received a PA to support their education or training aligned to section 23C (3) (a) of the 1989 Act?

24. Section 4.5, page 34. How much has the authority spent in 2015 on expenses associated with employment for former relevant young people, section 23C (4) (a)?

25. Section 4.5, page 34. How much has the authority spent in 2015 on expenses associated with education and training for former relevant young people, section 23C (4) (b)?

26. Section 7.11, page 62. Does the authority have a joint protocol with your Housing department that outlines clear arrangements to offer care leavers preference to social housing, through the housing authority allocations scheme?

27. Section 7.12, page 62. In 2015, how many and what percentage of looked after children that the authority has responsibility for, were placed in bed and breakfast accommodation, aligned to section 23B of the 1989 Act, and regulation 9 (2) of the care leaver regulations?

28. Section 7.27, page 65. In 2015, how many looked after children have been placed in a staying put arrangement by the authority?

29. Section 7.30, page 66. In 2015, how much did the authority pay for a staying put arrangement, aligned to section 23CZA (4) of the Children Act 1989?

30. Section 8.8 and 8.9, page 78. Does the authority have a financial policy that outlines how they will support young people to enhance their life chances? Yes or no

Isabel's Voice

Statutory duties for local authorities aligned to the Children Act 1989.

Key performance indicators for Local Authorities

21st February 2016

31. Section 8.19, page 80. In 2015 how many of the authority's care leavers were entitled to receive the setting up home allowance?

32. Section 8.19, page 80. In 2015, how many of the authority's care leavers received the setting up home allowance?

33. Section 8.19, page 80. In 2015, what was the amount awarded to the authority's care leavers for each setting up home allowance?

34. In the year 2015 how many of the authority's looked after children were prosecuted with a criminal conviction?

35. In 2015 how many of the authority's looked after children became teenage parents?

36. What is the authority's current Ofsted rating for their Children Services (or new rating for the inspections of services for children in need of help and protection, children looked after and care leavers)?

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Reference: 12607 **Received:** 25/02/2016

Request details: Pay Difference

I request the following information:
-The details of how pay differs between staff by gender at Wandsworth Council.

Reference: 12609 **Received:** 25/02/2016

Request details: Freedom Passes

How many applications for Freedom Passes did the borough have in the year 14/15?
How many of the applications were from people who had a condition of Epilepsy?
What percentage of the applications involving Epilepsy were accepted/rejected?

Reference: 12610 **Received:** 25/02/2016

Request details: Better Care Fund

I am requesting information concerning all Better Care Fund performance metrics, including:
Non-elective admissions (general and acute)
Admissions to residential and care homes
Effectiveness of reablement
Delayed transfers of care
Patient / service user experience
A locally-proposed metric.
Please provide:

1. The performance under each metric for each quarter during 2014/15.
2. The precise statistical targets set for each metric for each quarter (if applicable; otherwise the annual target) during 2015/16.
3. The performance under each metric for each quarter so far during 2015/16.
4. Any forecast of whether each target will be met for the completed year 2015/16 (this might be under the "red, amber, green" system relating to whether the target is forecast to be met, missed but showing improvement, or missed and showing no improvement).
5. Please describe the HWB's locally-proposed metric for 2016/17 (or metrics, if there is more than one in the HWB area).

It is assumed that data should be available and provided up to and including Q3 of 2015/16. If this is not yet complete, please provide data up to and including Q2 of 2015/16.

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Reference: 12611 **Received:** 25/02/2016

Request details: Construction Procurement

Please note that the information requested relates to your construction procurement activities over the past 12 months.

1. Please could you let us know if you use PAS 91 unamended as your prequalification questionnaire for suppliers.
 2. Do you insist on the use of PAS 91 along the supply chain?
 3. How do you assess the technical competence of suppliers?
 4. What proportion of contracts by value are let using JCT/NEC respectively?
 5. Do you insist that lead contractors use the standard subcontract versions of NEC/JCT contracts?
 6. Are you using project bank accounts (PBAs)?
 7. If you are using PBAs, what proportion of contracts per annum by value are using PBAs?
 8. If you are not using PBAs, are there reasons for not doing so?
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Reference: 12612 **Received:** 25/02/2016

Request details: Business Rates

Under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 can you please provide me with a list of all commercial properties for your Local Authority and include the following information:

1. Property Address;
2. BA Reference Number;
3. Rateable Value;
4. Ratepayer Name;
5. Correspondence Address;
6. Account/Liability Start Date;
7. Whether the property is Occupied or Empty;
8. Empty From Date;
9. The 2015/16 Annual Charge after the deduction of any applicable reliefs and irrespective of any payments made.

The relevant date of the information should be the date you reply to this request.

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Reference: 12613 **Received:** 25/02/2016

Request details: Gender Pay & Bonuses

I would like to ask you please for the following information.

1. Please provide both the mean and the median hourly earnings (excluding overtime) for full time male employees and full time female employees.
 2. Please provide the mean and median hourly earnings (excluding overtime) for part time male employees and part time female employees.
 3. Please provide quartile salary information, and the amount of men and women in each quartile. This is the range from the lowest paid employee to the highest paid employee split into 4 equal parts. We would like the number of male and female employees in each part. So if the lowest employee was paid 0p, and the highest employee was paid £100 – we would like information of how many men and women are in each pay range: 0p - £25/ £26 - £50/ £51 - £75/ £76 - £100.
 4. Please provide information on bonuses received in the last financial year – how much was the average bonuses paid to female employees, and how much was the average bonus paid to male employees.
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Reference: 12614 **Received:** 25/02/2016

Request details: IT Budget

1. What is your overall IT Budget for 2016/17?
 2. Do you run a shared IT service with any other government entities?
 3. Do you have a BRM Programme in place in your IT Department (IT Business Relationship Management, IT Business Partner, Business Liaison)?
 4. If you do have a programme, how many BRM's/IT Business Partners/etc are currently employed by the Council?
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Reference: 12615 **Received:** 25/02/2016

Request details: PCNs & Towed Vehicles

- 1) How many instances of vehicles issued with parking tickets, that were later towed, were recorded between 2004-15? If possible please break figures down by year. If the data doesn't stretch back to 2004, please use the earliest you have.
- 2) On average, how long were impounded vehicles kept in storage before being claimed?
- 3) How many towed vehicles were later crushed?

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Reference: 12616 **Received:** 25/02/2016

Request details: Home Care Visits

Please provide an answer for the calendar year of 2015 (January to December 2015 inclusive). If you are unable to answer by calendar year, please provide an answer for the financial year 2015/16 to date (and indicate that you have done so)

- 1) How many home care visits did you commission in that year?
 - 2) How many local authority commissioned home care visits were delivered in:
 - a. An hour or more
 - b. 30 minutes or less
 - c. 15 minutes or less
 - d. 10 minutes or less
 - e. 5 minutes or less(N.B. the answer to 2b will encompass the visits within 2c, d and e; 2c will include 2d and e, etc.).
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Reference: 12617 **Received:** 25/02/2016

Request details: Change of Use

I should like to request the list of people and organisations who applied landlord consent /Licence to Council for change of use from commercial to residential on long leasehold properties. Please provide date of consent applied, date of consent granted, complete address of the property, premium paid to the Council, property valuations before change and expected valuation after change. Please provide this information from 01/01/2005 to today.

Reference: 12618 **Received:** 25/02/2016

Request details: Council Tax Registration

Q1. As part of the authority's Council Tax registration process, do you collect data on property tenure?

Yes, for all tenures

Yes, for rental property only

NoPlease give the reasons why not.

Q2.For rental properties, do you ask for information about the landlord?

Yes

No

Q3.Which Council departments/services are able to access the tenure/landlord data?

All

Housing

Planning/Development Control

Finance

Environmental Services

Trading Standards

Licensing

Other (Please list)

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Reference: 12619 **Received:** 25/02/2016

Request details: Heating Major Works Consulting

Was there an Official from Wandsworth Council and/or McCarthy Court Management Organisation, during the Major Works Consultation in the spring of 2014, who made an unsolicited visit, or unsolicited visits (plural) to a resident's flat, or residents' flats (plural), in which the Official tried to engage the resident/residents in a discussion with respect to the way they might vote in the Residents' Major Works Ballot.
If there was the resident, or residents, who received unsolicited visits in this way, did the Official request or invite the resident(s) to change their Vote?

Reference: 12620 **Received:** 25/02/2016

Request details: Cemeteries

Please provide me with full answers to each of the following questions.

The questions are based on the results of a 2009 survey that were published in this report <https://www.london.gov.uk/file/5284/download?token=sLOljOSB> 'An Audit of London Burial Provision', so it is possible to supply this information.

Please provide the following information about each of the cemeteries operated by your council (i.e. the ones you are responsible for, as I appreciate some are located in other boroughs):

Name, number of cremations in 2010 and in 2015, number of burials in 2010 and in 2015, capacity, i.e. virgin land available, re-opens only, no space.

Please also state for each cemetery how many burials in 2010 and in 2015 there were for each of the following sections: Roman Catholic, Muslim, Jewish, Buddhist, other denomination.

And have you used the power contained in the London Local Authorities Act 2007 to disturb human remains in order to increase space for internments?

Reference: 12622 **Received:** 26/02/2016

Request details: Payments re Planning Obligations

1) The total monetary payments received by Wandsworth Council to date from planning obligations incumbent upon the Nine Elms Opportunity Area Development developers.

I believe these developers to include
Tan Sri Liew Consortium, developers of Battersea Power Station.
Ballymore
Barrett London and Barrett Homes
Bellway, plc
Berkley Group
American Embassy
There may be others.
Payments will include any monies received under 106, 278 or CIL agreements.

2) the uses to which these monies have been or will be applied.

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Reference: 12623 **Received:** 26/02/2016

Request details: Social Value Policy

1. A copy of, or link to, the Authority's social value policy, strategy, framework or similar document if there is one.
 2. How and whether the Authority has applied the concept of social value more widely than is required.
 3. The percentage of the Authority's tenders over the past 12 months where the Public Services (Social Value) Act 2012 has been applied (that is to say, how much use does the Authority make of the Act).
 4. Where social value is included in assessing tenders, the average weighting that it is given in your scoring across those contacts.
 5. A copy of, or link to, any evaluation or estimation of savings made as a result of the Authority's application of the Social Value Act.
 6. Where the responsibility for social value sits within the Authority (e.g. with the head of procurement or with a cabinet member).
 7. If you monitor it, how many social enterprises supplied the Authority in the last financial year?
 8. The percentage of suppliers which accounted for 80% of your spend in the last financial year.
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Reference: 12624 **Received:** 26/02/2016

Request details: Nature Study Centre & Neal's Farm

- (1) How does your role within the Council involve the Nature Study Centre (Naturescope)?
 - (2) The Council planners have been telling everyone, that a meeting took place yesterday at the Council with Naturescope.
 - A.Were you present at this meeting?
 - B.If not/so, please can you detail the other attendees from the Council (I realise that third parties might be subject to privilege)?
 - C.What was the purpose/agenda of the meeting?
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Reference: 12625 **Received:** 26/02/2016

Request details: Pre-Planning Advice

I am requesting that the Council provide the following:FOI request about pre-planning advice given to Richstone properties or their advisers/architects/employees) regarding Templeton Manor estate (What they refer to as the 21-15 Roehampton Gate area) around Sept 2015.

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Reference: 12626 **Received:** 26/02/2016

Request details: Professional Services contracts

What professional services contract(s) does the authority have in place to cover the following:

Transport Planning
Traffic Engineering
Highway Design & Maintenance
Transport Modelling
Urban Design/Streetscape

Please provide the following information for each contract identified above:

Name of Contract
Services covered
Expiry Date
Name of incumbent(s)
Method of procurement
Annual Spend on Contract

Reference: 12627 **Received:** 26/02/2016

Request details: Planning Applications

Please can you provide the details, including the planning reference number, of all the planning applications for residential developments of 10 dwellings or more granted in the past 3 years which have not yet been implemented.

Reference: 12628 **Received:** 26/02/2016

Request details: Business Rates Credits

Please can you provide me with the following information under the Freedom Of Information Act 2000:-

1. A list of all properties that have any credit balance on their business rates account
2. The account number
3. The account holder
4. The property address including postcode
5. Billing Authority Reference Number
6. The current balance
7. Account Start Date
8. Account End Date

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Reference: 12629 **Received:** 29/02/2016

Request details: Tier 2 staff

Please note that agency staff, and social workers working in children's and family services, are excluded from the entirety of this request.

1. The number of care workers currently directly employed by the Council (including zero hours and casual staff) who are on Tier 2 visas under the Points Based Immigration system.

2. Of the staff referred to in response to question 1, how many started working in the UK after April 2011?

3. Of the staff referred to in response to question 2, how many are paid below £35,000 per year (including zero hours and casual staff)? "Pay" here means full-year gross pay including enhancements (e.g. shift pay, overtime pay) for the year 2014/15 (or if hired since the start of 2014/15, please use forecast full-year gross pay including enhancements for 2015/16 based on payments during the year to date). Please note that I am seeking actual pay - if a staff member is paid £19,000 per year for working 0.5 FTE (assuming no enhancements), please consider their pay to be £19,000, not the £38,000 they would be paid were they working 1.0 FTE.

If the information for question 2 is not held (or would be impossible to locate within the section 12 cost limit), please ignore questions 2 and 3 and answer questions 4 and 5 instead:

4. Of the staff referred to in response to question 1, how many started working for the Council after April 2011?

5. Of the staff referred to in response to question 4, how many are paid below £35,000 per year (including zero hours and casual staff)? "Pay" here means full-year gross pay including enhancements (e.g. shift pay, overtime pay) for the year 2014/15 (or if hired since the start of 2014/15, please use forecast full-year gross pay including enhancements for 2015/16 based on payments during the year to date). Please note that I am seeking actual pay - if a staff member is paid £19,000 per year for working 0.5 FTE, please consider their pay to be £19,000, not the £38,000 they would be paid were they working 1.0 FTE.

If the information for question 1 is not held (or would be impossible to locate within the section 12 cost limit), please ignore questions 1-5 and answer questions 6-8 instead:

6. The number of care workers currently directly employed by the Council (including zero hours and casual staff) who are not nationals of member states of the European Economic Area.

7. Of the staff referred to in response to question 6, how many started working for the council after April 2011?

8. Of the staff referred to in response to question 7, how many are paid below £35,000 per year (including zero hours and casual staff)? "Pay" here means full-year gross pay including enhancements (e.g. shift pay, overtime pay) for the year 2014/15 (or if hired since the start of 2014/15, please use forecast full-year gross pay including enhancements for 2015/16 based on payments during the year to date). Please note that I am seeking actual pay - if a staff member is paid £19,000 per year for working 0.5 FTE, please consider their pay to be £19,000, not the £38,000 they would be paid were they working 1.0 FTE.

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All councils please respond to question 9:

9. Any assessment, report, etc., that the Council has carried out or commissioned into the effect that the increase to the earnings threshold for Tier 2 visa immigrants to qualify for permanent residence in the UK (announced in 2011, implemented from April 2016) will have on the Council's staff. (see <http://www.workpermit.com/news/2015-07-07/uk-tier-2-visa-immigrants-must-earn-35000-to-settle-from-april-2016>)

All figures for questions 1 to 8 should be provided as FTE and headcount if possible. It is assumed that councils will not need a definition of "care workers" to be provided. The term simply describes people working in the Council's adult care services, involved in either providing care services or managing them.

This request is fundamentally about staffing, and therefore should not be aggregated for section 12 purposes with my request concerning the Better Care Fund.

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Request details: Social Sector Homes

How many social sector homes are in your local authority?

Under the under-occupancy charge (the bedroom tax), how many social sector homes have been affected by housing benefits cuts?

How many people have had to be rehomed?

How many people have appealed cuts to their housing benefit?

How many people have appealed being rehomed?

How many people have successfully appealed cuts to their housing benefit?

How many people have successfully appealed being rehomed?

Under the government's plans to give 20,000 people from Syria refuge in the UK, how many have been allocated to your local authority so far, if any?

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Request details: Names of PAC Attendees

Can you please provide me by return and/or as soon as is possible with the full name and titles of all persons including Council staff and/or advisers attending the PAC on Wednesday evening (Feb 24) and in particular the Council employee who sat on the left of Cllr McDermott the Chair and the silver haired gentleman who I understood to be the Council's planning lawyer.

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Request details: IT Procurement Policy

Do you have a procurement policy which supports the use of the Gcloud IT procurement framework?
Has your organisation adopted a strategy or IT policy guidance for using cloud computing (cloud infrastructure), not software as a service?
How many data centres do you have on council premises (secure processing centres which host shared systems)?
How many third party data centres do you use?
Do you use cloud hosting for your data (public or private cloud)?
Expressed in percentage terms, approximately what proportion of your data is held on premise / in third party data centres / in the cloud?

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Request details: Care Home Charges

Could you please provide details of how many charging orders your body placed on your residents properties relating to care home charges for 1st January 2014 to 31st December 2014 and also separately for 1st January 2015 to 31st December 2015.

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Request details: SEN School Placements

1.What contracting methods are in place for SEN School Placements, e.g. Framework, Dynamic Purchasing System or Approved Provider List?
A. Is the authority part of a consortium whom are purchasing SEN School Placements? If so, who is the lead authority?
2.When do the current contractual arrangements expire for SEN School Placements?
3.How many Schools are accredited and provide services under the contractual arrangements?
4.What was the authority's yearly spend on SEN School placements in the financial year 2014/2015?
5.What proportion of SEN School Placements were purchased outside of the existing contractual arrangements, i.e. were "Spot Purchased"?
6.Who is the lead commissioner (or Head of Commissioning) for SEN School Placements for the authority?

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Request details: Competent Persons

Does the department specify that the electrical work it commissions must be undertaken by a member of a Trade Association or registrant of a Competent Person Scheme (as operated by the ECA, NAPIT or NICEIC for example)?
If so, which organisation is specified?

- NAPIT
- NICEIC
- ELECSA
- BENCHMARK
- OFTEC
- BESCA
- STROMA
- ECA
- JIB
- RCPE (registered competent person electrical)
- OTHER- please specify

What is the department's official rationale for specifying this Scheme Operator?

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Request details: Cerebral Palsy

1. The total number of children and young people diagnosed with cerebral palsy in your local authority population area within the last five years.
2. The number of Education, Health and Care Plans:
 - a. Issued for children and young people with cerebral palsy issued by Wandsworth Council since 2014.
 - b. Transferred from SEN statements by Wandsworth Council since 2014.
3. Prior to the introduction of Education, Health and Care Plans, the number of SEN Statements issued in the last five years by Wandsworth Council to children and young people with cerebral palsy.
4. An overview of on-going training and advice provided to health visitors on identifying and referring children suspected with cerebral palsy, outside of that provided as part of undergraduate training.
5. A list of organisations within your local authority area which provide specialist treatment (e.g. Conductive Education, Bobath therapy, etc.) for children and young people with cerebral palsy.
6. A list of educational establishments outside of your local authority area that children and young people with cerebral palsy, who reside within your local authority area, attend to receive specialist education.
7. Whether information on services provided for children and young people with cerebral palsy is explicitly stated in Wandsworth Council's Local Offer. If not, what plans Wandsworth Council has to review their Local Offer to include this information.
8. The number of children and young people referred by local authorities to specialist centres and voluntary agencies for treatment and management of cerebral palsy over the past five years.