

Response to Request for Information

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Tea and Biscuits Spend

Request:

I would like to request the amount of money the Council has spent on tea (a) and biscuits (b) at meetings and what types of tea and biscuits these were (c) between 2016-2017 and 2015-2016.

The Council is unable to specifically identify the spend on tea alone but estimates that it spent £5,436 on tea and coffee in total in 2015/16 and £4,899 in 2016/17. The estimates are based on the number of drinks provided multiplied by the unit cost of each drink. The type of tea and coffee was 'single portioned fair trade products'.

The Council's actual spend on biscuits in 2015/16 was £0 and in 2016/17 was £24. The type of biscuits were 'catering assorted mix of biscuits'.