



Response to Request for Information

Reference FOI 091591
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CCTV Cameras

Request and response in 'blue':

I would like to request the following information under the Freedom of Information Act please. We are happy for the information you provide to just cover bus lanes.

1. How many CCTV cameras are owned by your council to catch *drivers* breaking *traffic laws*, and how many are currently in use?

We can confirm that the department holds information that you have asked for in relation to above. However, the information is exempt under section 21 of the FOI Act because it is reasonably accessible to you, and I am pleased to inform you that you can access it on our website via the following link:

<http://www.wolverhampton.gov.uk/buslanes>

Section 21(1) of the Freedom of Information Act exempts disclosure of information that is reasonably accessible by other means, and the terms of the exemption mean that we do not have to consider whether or not it would be in the public interest for you to have the information.

You can find out more about Section 21 by reading the extract from the Act, available at: <http://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukpga/2000/36/section/21>

2. Please specify where these cameras are placed and their intended use on-site? (E.g. to catch drivers making U-turns / illegal right turns / using a bus lane / yellow-box junction offenses)

[As above](#)

3. How many fines have been issued and what revenue has your council gained over the past four years as a result of these cameras? Please provide a breakdown for 2012, 2013, 2014, and so far in 2015

[None were issued in financial years 2012/13, 2013/14 and 2014/15](#)

[In financial year 2015/16 to date 15,614 Penalty Charge Notices have been issued for Bus lane contraventions with income of £312,689 received to date.](#)

4. How many people are employed in departments monitoring and processing

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CCTV driving offences?

4 people monitor and process Bus lane and Parking Enforcement Penalty Charge Notices along with a number of other duties.

5. Please specify where the fines monies are allocated
All income from Penalty Charge Notices is used to provide the service, any surplus identified at the end of the financial year will be spent on specific transportation projects.