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Dear Sir/Madam.

Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) Request ID: REQ04507

Thank you for your request for information relating to Bus Lane Fines for Whittle Arch.

You have requested the following information:

For each of the last 4 full financial years and in relation to Bus Lane Penalty Notices for Hales Street ("Whittle Arch"):

1. How many Bus Lane Penalty Notices were issued?

2014/15 - 16,556 2015/16 - 9,327 2016/17 - 30,283 2017/18 - 30,852

2. How many appeals were submitted?

2014/15* 2015/16* 2016/17 – 21. 2017/18 – 54.

^{*} With regards to 2014/15 and 2015/16, we can confirm that we do not hold this information and are advising you as per Section 1(1) of the Act. The Council does not hold accurate information for these years.

3. How many appeals made reference to unclear, confusing or poor signage?

2014/15: see below 2015/16: see below

2016/17: 11 2017/18: 9

With regards to 2014/15 and 2015/16, please refer to the response provided for Question 2 above.

4. How many appeals were upheld?

2014/15: see below 2015/16: see below

2016/17: 11 2017/18: 15

With regards to 2014/15 and 2015/16, please refer to the response provided for Question 2 above.

5. What was the £ sum total of fines generated in each year?

2014/15: £416,949.31. 2015/16: £253,384.30. 2016/17: £808,104.34. 2017/18: £854,254.22.

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Please remember to quote the reference number above in your response.

Yours sincerely

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