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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA)
Request ID: REQ01100

Thank you for your request for information relating to Public Health Funerals.

You have requested the following information:

Please could you tell me if you provide public health funerals and if so, how many requests you have received since 2006, with a yearly breakdown? Could I have the number of requests and the number of public health funerals granted.

Coventry City Council does arrange Public Health Funerals. Please see the table below for the number of public health funerals granted between 2006 and 2015.

| Year | No of Funerals Conducted |
|-------------|---------------------------------|
| 2006/07 | 62 |
| 2007/08 | 40 |
| 2008/09 | 41 |
| 2009/10 | 39 |
| 2010/11 | 35 |
| 2011/12 | 45 |
| 2012/13 | 41 |
| 2013/14 | 29 |
| 2014/15 | 46 |

With regards to funerals arranged after this date, Coventry City Council publishes this information on a quarterly basis.

I therefore can confirm that we hold this information and it is accessible to you via the Council website:-

http://www.coventry.gov.uk/downloads/download/3050/public_health_funerals

We therefore do not have to provide the information as per Section 21 of the FOIA.

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If you are unhappy with the handling of your request, you can ask us to review our response. Requests for reviews should be submitted within 40 days of the date of receipt of our response to your original request – email: infogov@coventry.gov.uk

If you are unhappy with the outcome of our review, you can write to the Information Commissioner, who can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF or email casework@ico.org.uk.

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

Yours faithfully

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