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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA)
Request ID: FOI347748403

Thank you for your request for information relating to Littering fines.

You have requested the following information:

1. How many littering fines have been issued and how many have been paid since 2016? I would also like to know the general legal responsibilities of the people fined, I.E. what they were fined for.

With regards to the number and purpose for issued fines, we can confirm that we hold this information and it is accessible to you via the Council website, please use the following link (refer to Environmental Services Fixed Penalty Notices):-

https://www.coventry.gov.uk/info/145/websites_and_social_media/650/open_data

The number paid is 2,936.

General legal responsibilities can be found on the following Government website:

<https://www.gov.uk/pay-challenge-fine-environmental-offence>

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

2. How many of the fines were issued in the CV1 postcode area and how many fines issued per 'official' each year since 2016?

Please refer to the response provided to Question 1 above.

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

Yours faithfully

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