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Dear Sir/Madam.

Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) Request ID: REQ07130

Thank you for your request for information relating to looked after children between the ages of 16-18.

You have requested the following information:

Of the 259 Looked After Children between the ages of 16-18 that the Council has, are you able to please tell me how many of these children are living in semi-independent residential accommodation provided by unregulated private companies.

Please could you also let me know which companies the Council uses to house these individuals.

Coventry City Council has 143 looked after children aged 16 -17 53 of these 143 are in supported accommodation (semi-independent residential accommodation) provided by private companies.

Please note that this figure includes children placed in accommodation provided by a charity and by a university.

The companies which these children are placed are: Key 2 Elysian Field Chapel House Care Osei Minkah Care Ltd Bright Secure Futures
Pinnacle Care
Destiny International Care
Anew
Valley House
Barnado's
Coventry University

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Yours sincerely

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