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Dear Sir/ Madam

Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) Request ID: REQ07723

Thank you for your request for information relating to Complaints relating to Christmas lights or decorations.

Your request and our responses are outlined below:

I'm looking into nuisance complaints data, specifically focussing on complaints around Christmas lights being too bright, distracting or offensive.

Number of complaints in your local authority specifically relating to Christmas lights or decorations for the period from 15th of November to 15th of January for 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019

We can advise that no complaints have been received in this local authority specifically relating to Christmas lights or decorations for the period from 15th November to 15th January for 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019 that have been installed by or on behalf of the local authority, for Christmas lights being too bright, distracting or offensive

We also have no complaints recorded with reference to private installations for the period requested.

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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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