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Dear Sir/Madam.

Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) Request ID: FOI467626247

Thank you for your request for information relating to Appointeeships.

You have requested the following information:

1. How many Appointeeships do you administer?

Coventry City Council does not administer Appointeeships. There are 181 administered by Age UK.

- How many of this total are residential clients and how many clients live in the community?

Community 104 / Residential 77.

- What is the total value of money held on behalf of the above appointees?

We do not hold this information and are advising you as per Section 1(1) of the Act. Clients who require an appointee are referred to Age UK who take this on independently.

2. Do you undertake home visits to your appointees? If yes, how many do you carry out per annum?

Coventry City Council do not act as corporate appointees. This is outsourced to a third party voluntary sector provider, Age UK Coventry and Warwickshire to administer.

3. How many Deputyships do you administer?

- How many of this total are residential clients and how many clients live in the community?

Coventry City Council do not act as Corporate Deputies. If such appointments are

required, an application is made to the Court of Protection to appoint a Deputy, if necessary from the Court's panel.

4. What policy do you use on which to base your decision to act as a corporate Appointeeship for clients?

Not applicable. Please see response to Q2.

5. What policy do you use on which to base your decision to act as a corporate Deputyship for clients?

Not applicable. Please see response to Q3.

6. Do any Council department(s) receive referrals for potential Appointeeships and Deputyship clients?

- If so, please state which department(s)?

The Council's Adults Commissioning Team gatekeep the appointeeship referrals for the outsourced service managed by Age UK Coventry and Warwickshire however the Adult Social Care and Financial Assessments service would identify if someone requires a Deputy.

7. Which Council department/service reviews the on-going need for corporate Appointeeship or Deputyship and how often is this reviewed?

Not applicable. Please see response to Q2 and Q3.

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Yours faithfully

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