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Dear Sir/Madam

Environmental Information Regulations 2004 (EIR) Request ID: FOI472630878

Thank you for your request for information relating to Spreadsheets behind the HEDNA population forecasts.

You have requested the following information:

I wish to understand the population modelling done for the recent Coventry & Warwickshire Housing & Economic Development Needs Assessment (HEDNA) Final Report - Nov 2022.

Can I please see the spreadsheets behind the population modelling/projections done in that report. There is likely to be more than one spreadsheet or workbook, but i have no direct information on this point. I believe that this information will be held by the council or held on its behalf by the authors, ICENI.

In response to your request, we confirm we do not hold this information and are informing you as per Section 1(1) of the Act. Rugby Borough Council, who is the lead authority for the production of the HEDNA Final Report, contracted with Iceni Projects Limited on the council's standard terms. These terms do not contain provisions as to intellectual property. On that basis, Rugby Borough Council have advised that they do not hold the requested materials and nor do we hold the rights in those materials.

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

Yours faithfully

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