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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) Request ID: FOI489243274

Thank you for your request for information relating to financial incentives.

You have requested the following information:

I am writing to request information under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) regarding the financial incentives that have motivated your corporation to become involved in child removal.

1. Specifically, I would like you to outline all types of financial incentives that have been offered to your corporation in exchange for participating in child removal activities. This may include, but is not limited to, grants, subsidies, tax incentives, and other forms of financial support.

We do not receive any financial incentives in exchange for participating in child removal activities.

2. I am particularly interested in any incentives that may have encouraged your corporation to prioritize child removal over other forms of intervention or support for families, and any incentives that may have influenced decisions regarding the placement of children in foster care or adoption.

There are no such incentives for the local authority.

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

Yours faithfully

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