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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) Request ID: FOI544277644

Thank you for your request for information relating to schools using temporary accommodation.

You have requested the following information:

1. The total number of schools in the local authority

Following careful consideration, the information you requested falls under the exemption(s) in Section 21 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000, which relates to 'information reasonably accessible to the applicant by other means.'

The exemption applies as the information is published and publicly available to view by accessing the Central Government website, please use the following link:

https://get-information-schools.service.gov.uk/

This exemption is not subject to the public interest test.

2. Of these, the number of schools using some form of 'temporary or emergency accommodation' for some of their functions, as of 5th September 2023

Four schools with two of these schools' temporary accommodation due to be removed by October half-term 2023. None of the four are in relation to RAAC.

3. Examples of temporary accommodation being used (marquee, portacabin, disused office

space etc.)

All portacabin/mobile style temporary accommodation.

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Yours faithfully

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