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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA)

Request ID: FOI741968340

Thank you for your request for information relating to Illegal tobacco seizures and National Lottery products.

You have requested the following information:

1. Please could you tell me how many of the separate businesses (listed below) from which illicit tobacco has been seized by Coventry City Council's Trading Standards team are, or were, licensed to sell UK National Lottery Products?

2020-21 – 11 seizures

20 21-22 – 13 seizures

2022-23 – 7 seizures

2023-24 – 34 seizures

2024-25 – 29 seizures

We do not hold the requested information and advising you as per Section 1(1) of the Act. The Council's Regulatory Services has no requirement to record those businesses which sell UK National Lottery Products hence we are not able to provide data on the businesses from which illicit tobacco has been seized by Coventry City Council's Trading Standards team are, or were licensed to sell UK National Lottery Products.

For information, we publish a variety of information such as: [FOI/EIR Disclosure Log](#), [Publication Scheme](#), [Facts about Coventry](#) and [Open Data](#) that you may find of useful if you are looking for information in the future.

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 icocasework@ico.org.uk.

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

Yours faithfully

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