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Dear Sir/Madam

**Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA)
Request ID: FOI829876903**

Thank you for your request for information relating to Blue Badge Misuse Data.

You have requested the following information:

1. Enforcement Activity

- **The total number of Penalty Charge Notices (PCNs) issued where Blue Badge misuse was identified or suspected**

We do not issue PCNs for suspected misuse of a Blue Badge and we do not record where Blue Badge has been identified. We are therefore informing you as per Section 1(1) that we do not hold this information.

- **The number of Blue Badges confiscated due to misuse not available**

We do not hold this information and are advising you as per Section 1(1) of the Act. This will apply to the remaining questions:

- **The number of investigations carried out relating to Blue Badge misuse**

See response above.

2. Outcomes

- **The number of cases resulting in:**

- o **Formal warnings**
- o **Fixed penalties**
- o **Prosecutions**

- **The number of successful prosecutions and any associated fines or penalties**

3. Types of Misuse

If recorded, a breakdown of the most common types of misuse, for example:

- Use of a deceased person's badge not available
- Use of a badge without the holder present
- Altered or fraudulent badges

4. Operational Impact

- Any available data on the estimated time or resources spent investigating Blue Badge misuse
- The number of appeals or disputes related to Blue Badge

5. Digital or Preventative Measures

- Details of any digital systems, technologies, or processes currently used to detect or prevent Blue Badge misuse
- Whether your authority is considering or has implemented any digital solutions for Blue Badge enforcement

Questions 2 -5, we do not hold this information and are advising you as per Section 1(1) of the Act.

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

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

Yours faithfully

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