

From: FOI Advice XXXX highwaysengland.co.uk
Sent: 13 October 2015 13:29
To: Peter Silverman
Subject: RE: ICO decision notice - FER0578889

Dear Mr Silverman

Please find attached information in relation to the last of your requests. Information had been provided by the East (6 and 8) and Midlands (7 and 9) teams. For confirmation, that request asked for:

1. *Please provide me with 5 recent communications sent to local authorities by the Highways Agency asking for action to be taken when it felt that the standards set by the Environmental Protection Act were not being met.*

Five examples attached.

2. *Please provide me with 5 recent communications sent to local authorities by Highways Agency contractors asking for action to be taken when it felt that the standards set by the Environmental Protection Act were not being met.*

Five examples attached.

3. *Please send me 5 recent reports recording the monitoring of the cleanliness of the Highways Agency's network by the employee of the Highways Agency as opposed to by employees of their contractors.*

Information not held. As Highways England has made you aware we do not produce reports on the cleanliness of the Strategic Road Network. Highways England employees do have a watchman focus and, where noted, employees will report on asset defects, including litter. Please find attached some examples where Highways Agency staff reported on the condition of the network.

4. *Please send me 5 recent reports recording the monitoring of the cleanliness of the those All Purpose Trunk Roads on the network where the local authority has responsibility for cleansing.*

As above, our contractors do not produce 'reports' on the state of the network but where the cleanliness of the network is noted as an issue during asset inspections a record is made and information is fed back to the local authority. Please find attached extracts from asset inspections from Area 9 which record accumulations of litter.

Personal details of the correspondents have not been included in accordance with Regulation 13 of the EIRs.

As always, if you are not satisfied with the information provided, or how we have handled your request, please issue a complaint directly to me.

Yours sincerely

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