



RE Highways Network Management,
Colindale Offices,
2 Bristol Avenue, Colindale, NW9 4EW
23 December 2019
Our ref: 5826532

Thank you for your request received on 21 November 2019, for the following information:

Dear Sir or Madam,

I am asking, under the Freedom of Information Act, the following set of questions:

Defining a 'road bridge' as a structure with a span of 1.5m or more providing public highway passage for motor vehicles over an obstacle such as a watercourse, railway, road or valley, please provide the following information for all road bridges for which you own as highway authority, including those which are jointly owned with another authority, but for which you are the lead authority:

- 1. How many road bridges are you responsible for maintaining?**
- 2. For the last financial year (2018/19) how many Principal Inspections have taken place**
- 3. For the last financial year (2018/19) how many General Inspections have taken place?**
- 4. For the last financial year (2018/19) how many Structural Reviews and/or BD21 assessments have been conducted?**
- 5. How many sub-standard (in terms of capacity) and/or weight restricted bridges do you have?**
- 6. Of these, how many do you intend to return to full load carrying capacity in the next 5 years?**
- 7. How many bridges would you return to full load carrying capacity if you had no resource restrictions?**
- 8. (i) How many of your bridges require post tensioned special inspections (PTSIs)?**
(ii) How many of those have had PTSIs within the last 18 years?
(iii) Of those that have not had a PTSI, how many require/are due one?
(iv) How much funding would you anticipate is required to remove the backlog of PTSIs for those bridges identified in Q8(iii)?
- 9. In monetary terms, what is the current Depreciation (i.e. difference between your GRC and DRC as declared for your WGA return for 2018/19)?**
- 10. Have you calculated your back log (or workbank) for bridges? What is the calculated value of your backlog of road bridges, or your best estimate if a calculated value is not available?**
- 11. (i) What is the annual revenue works budget for maintaining your bridge**

stock?

(ii) What is the annual capital works budget for maintaining your bridge stock?

(iii) What total budget would you estimate is required to maintain the bridge stock at its current level (standstill budget)?

12. (i) How many BD97 Stage 1 Scour Assessments did you undertake in 2018/19?

(ii) How many BD97 Stage 2 Scour Assessments did you undertake in 2018/19?

We have processed this request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Response

The council holds the information requested and it is attached.

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Please see attached a spreadsheet titled Bridges FOI 5826532, which holds the requested information.

Further information

If you are interested in the data that the council holds you may wish to visit Open Barnet, the council's data portal. This brings together all our published datasets and other information of interest on one searchable database for anyone, anywhere to access. <http://open.barnet.gov.uk/>

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