31 August 2021
Our ref: 7528580

Thank you for your request received on 2 August 2021, for the following information:

Please provide;

1. The number of licensed dog breeders in your local authority during the following periods
a. 1 January 2019 - 31 December 2019
b. 1 January 2020 - 31 December 2020
Additionally, please provide a breakdown as follows:
2. The number of breeding licenses issued in both 2019 and 2020 to licence holders who have bred one or two litters.
3. The number of breeding licences issued in both 2019 and 2020 to holders who have bred three or more litters.
4. The total number of breeding bitches present at licensed premises in your local authority.
5. The number of licences issued to those selling kittens as pets in the course of a business during the following periods:
a. 1 January 2019 - 31 December 2019
b. 1 January 2020 - 31 December 2020

We have processed this request under the Environmental Information Regulations 2004.

Response

The council holds the information requested and the answers to your questions are below.

1. The number of licensed dog breeders in your local authority during the following periods
a. 1 January 2019 - 31 December 2019

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b. 1 January 2020 - 31 December 2020

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Additionally, please provide a breakdown as follows:
2. The number of breeding licenses issued in both 2019 and 2020 to licence holders who have bred one or two litters.

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3. The number of breeding licences issued in both 2019 and 2020 to holders who have bred three or more litters.

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4. The total number of breeding bitches present at licensed premises in your local authority.

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5. The number of licences issued to those selling kittens as pets in the course of a business during the following periods:
a. 1 January 2019 - 31 December 2019

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b. 1 January 2020 - 31 December 2020

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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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If you are a company that intends to use the names and contact details of council officers (or other officers) provided in this response for direct marketing, you need to be registered with the Information Commissioner to process personal data for this purpose. You must also check that the individual (whom you wish to contact for direct marketing purposes) is not registered with one of the Preference Services to prevent Direct Marketing. If they are you must adhere to this preference.

You must also ensure you comply with the Privacy Electronic and Communications Regulations (PECR). For more information follow this Link www.ico.org.uk

For the avoidance of doubt the provision of council (and other) officer names and contact details under FOI does not give consent to receive direct marketing via any media and expressly does not constitute a 'soft opt-in' under PECR.

Your rights

If you are unhappy with the way your request for information has been handled, you can request a review within the next 40 working days by writing to the Information Management Team at: foi@barnet.gov.uk. Or by post to Information Management Team (FOI) London Borough of Barnet, 2 Bristol Avenue, Colindale, NW9 4EW

If, having exhausted our review procedure, you remain dissatisfied with the handling of your request or complaint, you will have a right to appeal to the Information

Commissioner at: The Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF (telephone: 0303 123 1113; website www.ico.org.uk). There is no charge for making an appeal.