

London Borough of Barnet
2 Bristol Avenue,
Colindale NW9 4EW
24 June 2022
Our ref: 8299693

Thank you for your request received on 25 May 2022, for the following information:

Dear Barnet Borough Council,

For all properties on the street of Norrice Lea, inclusive of Hampstead Garden Suburb Synagogue and Kerem School, for the period of 2015 to 2022:

- Can you please provide the nature of any council tax discounts or exemptions that have been granted, accompanied by the number of claimants that have applied for the corresponding discount or exemption and successfully receive/received the corresponding discount or exemption.

I request this data in a simple format - preferably with a column dictating the nature of the discount or exemption, alongside two columns; one counting the number of claimants that applied, another the number of claimants who are/have successfully receiving/received the corresponding discount or exemption. This is requested per year for the aforementioned period.

There is no need, nor does the request require the divulging of property names or numbers.

If you apply S12 of the Act to this request, please provide:

1. a list of relevant documents you hold 2. a calculation as to how the cost limits were breached 3. advice on how to narrow the request down so as not to breach these limits on a subsequent request

If you choose to withhold under any other section, in whole or in part, I ask that you justify all deletions by reference to specific exemptions of the Act. I will also expect you to release all non-exempt material. I reserve the right to appeal your decision to withhold any information or to charge excessive fees.

I would prefer to receive the information electronically

Yours faithfully,

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 note due to restrictions in our reporting system, we do not hold information regarding the number of claims that have been unsuccessful.

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/>

Advice and Assistance : Direct Marketing

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 Records & Information

Management Service, Assurance Group, 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.