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## FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST – 917/17

Dear Sir/Madam

Your request for information has now been considered and the information requested is provided below.

Request:

I would like to submit an FOI request regarding the Business Rates Relief Scheme announced in the March 2017 Budget, which allocates £300 million to local authorities over four years from 2017-18.

<https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/discretionary-business-rates-relief-scheme>

Regarding the Scheme, I would like to know:

- a. whether your council has already begun distributing to local businesses the funding made available for 2017-18 as part of the Relief Scheme?
- b. If the answer to (a) is yes, how much (in £s) has already been allocated to local businesses?

Response:

Rutland County Council has not yet distributed the funding made available to local businesses for 2017-18 as part of the relief scheme.

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Yours faithfully

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