FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST – 1494/17

Dear Sir/Madam

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

Request:

Please can you provide me with details of:

1. The amount of money the local authority gave to domestic violence refuges in each financial year since 2010/11?

   Answer:

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2. The total number of domestic violence refuges or any other form of accommodation-based support located within the local authority, as at the end of each financial year since 2010/11?

   Answer: None

3. The total number of domestic violence refuges located within the local authority that have been closed since 2010/11?

   Answer: None

4. Whether the local authority bid for funding from the VAWG Service Transformation Fund and, if it did, when the bid was successful and confirmation of whether the Government released the funds yet?

   Answer: Rutland County Council formed part of a joint bid for funding from the VAWG Service Transformation Fund, along with Leicester City Council, Leicestershire County Council and the Office of the Police and Crime.
Commissioner for Leicestershire (the Leicestershire OPCC). As this bid was led by the Leicestershire OPCC, further details should be sought from them.

In relation to the requests above, domestic violence refuges includes any other accommodation-based support for victims of domestic violence. The total amount of money should include any funding provided by the local authority to domestic violence refuges, where such places are commissioned through multi-agency working.

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Yours faithfully

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