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Dear Ms. Dewsbury

Re: Your request for information

Thank you for your email 25th February 2009. As the information you requested is not personal or environmental it has been processed in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Initially, I would like to take this opportunity to apologise for the substantial delay in responding to your request. This was due to a clerical error within this section. Please be assured we are currently carrying out a thorough review of all our office procedures to minimise the possibility of any future delays. Nottingham City Council takes its obligations under the Freedom of Information Act very seriously indeed and we are disappointed that, on this occasion, we have not been able to provide the level of service that is expected.

I have investigated your request and the answers to your questions are as follows.

1. The number of people who registered as homeless in total in 2008.

781

2. The total amount of funds allocated for any cause related to homelessness throughout all of the council's departments in 2008.

£17,482,411.00

For clarification, we have taken 'cause' to include any project, programme or service that relates to homelessness. For your information, this authority spent £7,988,501.00 of the above figure specifically on homelessness 'causes', as defined above, in 2008

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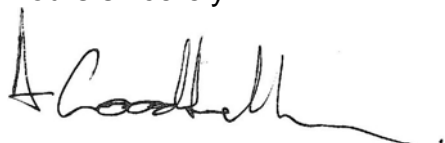
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If you should have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me on the above number quoting your personal case reference which is **IGO/09-5901**.

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Yours sincerely



Information Governance Officer