

Mr Tim Arian

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Our reference: 2357566

Dear Mr Arian

Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information that was received on 6 May 2019.

I can confirm that the information requested is held by Sefton Council. I have detailed below the information that is being released to you.

There are currently 45 children placed in private children's homes in Sefton. The average amount paid by the borough to operators of residential children's homes per child per week is £794.

Please quote the reference number 2357566 in any future communications about this request.

Section 17 (7) (a) of the Freedom of Information Act states that public authorities must provide applicants with details of how they may complain about the handling of their request for information should they wish to. If you are not satisfied with the way your request has been dealt with then you can request an internal review within 40 days of receiving our response. This should be directed to the Information Management and Governance Lead, 1st Floor, Magdalen House, 30 Trinity Road, Bootle, Merseyside, L20 3NJ or email: ino.info@sefton.gov.uk

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Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
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SK9 5AF
Telephone: 0303 123 1113
Website: www.ico.org.uk

I will now close your request as of this date.

Yours sincerely

Kayleigh Hogg
Admin

