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Our ref: 11193625 **Date**: 20 September 2019

Dear Ms Filer

Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your recent Freedom of Information request. You asked to be provided with the following information:

Under the freedom of information act, I'm requesting information in response to the questions below:

- 1a. What computer software are you using for the management of Bridges/Structures in the borough?
- 1b. How many of the following licence types does the borough have for this system.
- i. Desktop
- ii. Web/Cloud
- iii. Mobile
- 1c. How much are you paying per year for this software, and when is the contract due to expire?
- 1d. What format will the procurement process take and where will tender documents be published?
- 1e. Who within the borough is responsible for this contract?
- 2. Please provide details of any/all fees paid to TfL for the financial years 2016-17, 2017-18 and 2018-19 in relation to the management of structures within the borough.
- 3. Please provide details of any/all fees for the financial years 2016-17, 2017-18 and 2018-19 paid in relation to the membership of 'LoBeg' (London Bridge Engineering Group).
- 4. Please provide details of any/all fees for the financial years 2016-17, 2017-18 and 2018-19 paid to FSW IT Solutions Ltd by the borough.

Response

I can confirm that the information requested is held by Westminster City Council, as detailed in the table overleaf.

	Question	Response
1a	What computer software are you using for the management of Bridges/Structures in the Borough?	BridgeStation
1b	How many of the following licence types does the borough have for this system?	
i.	Desktop	N/A
ii.	Web/Cloud	One authority license
iii.	Mobile	N/A
1c	How much are you paying per year for this software, and when is the contract due to expire?	The cost of BridgeStation is contained within the Council's annual LoBEG subscription. (Please refer to the response to question 3).
1d	What format will the procurement process take and where will tender documents be published?	This is dealt with by LoBEG, Westminster City Council is 1 of 33 Boroughs (including City of London) who are members of LoBEG and who all use BridgeStation. As Bridgestation is owned by LoBEG, there are no fixed contractual arrangements.
1e	Who within the borough is responsible for this contract?	Please refer to response to question 1d.
2	Please provide details of any/all fees paid to TfL for the financial years 2016-17, 2017-18 and 2018-19 in relation to the management of structures within the borough.	No payment has been made to TfL.
3	Please provide details of any/all fees for the financial years 2016-17, 2017-18 and 2018-19 paid in relation to the membership of 'LoBEG' (London Bridge Engineering Group).	Membership subscription for: the Year 2018-19 was £1,403-00; the Year 2017-18 was £1,402-00; the Year 2016-17 was £1,401-00
4	Please provide details of any/all fees for the financial years 2016-17, 2017-18 and 2018-19 paid to FSW IT Solutions Ltd by the borough.	No payment has been made.

If you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review. Internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be addressed to:

Information Management Team 64 Victoria Street London SW1E 6QP foi@westminster.gov.uk

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. Further information is also available from the Information Commissioner at:

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Fax: 01625 524510 Web: <u>www.ico.org.uk</u> I will now close your request as of this date.

Yours sincerely

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