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Mr Alan Sutcliffe
Via email

Date: **13 February 2017**

Dear Mr Sutcliffe

Freedom of Information Act 2000 - 3140427

Thank you for your request for information concerning *Dear Department for Communities and Local Government*,

Could you please tell me what was the local government grant to Lancashire County Council for the years 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 and 2016. And, could you please tell me what proportion of County Council spending was made up of these grants?

which we received on 3 February 2017 and processed under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

I can confirm that the information requested is held by the Department for Communities and Local Government and we are able to provide you with all this information. The department publishes Revenue Support Grant (RSG) at local authority level. The proportion of total expenditure this funds can be calculated by dividing the RSG by the revenue expenditure. Details are at this link:

https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/532932/RA_Budget_2016-17_Statistical_Release.pdf

Complaints procedure

If you are unhappy with this response, we will review it and report back to you. (This is called an internal review.) If you want us to do this, let us know by return email within two months of receiving this response. You can also ask by letter addressed to:

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Commissioner can be contacted at email address xxxxxxx@xxx.xxx.xx or use their online form at ico.org.uk/concerns or call them on 0303 123 1113.

Yours sincerely

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