

29th May 2019

Email to: request-579332-c68cce67@whatdotheyknow.com

Dear Ms Jardine,

In reference to your email of 29 May 2019 where you ask that we provide you with information under the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002 (the "Act") we would advise:

City Parking is treating your request as a data request under the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002.

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Your Request:

"I am requesting the following information under the FOI Act.

The number of Blue Badge misuse recorded in 2017/2018 and 2018/2019. How many of these resulted in the vehicle being impounded? How many of these resulted in a fine (separate from the parking ticket)? How many were taken to Prosecution? "

Answer:

- a) The number of Blue Badge misuse recorded in the financial year 2017/2018 (April to March) was 1,186 and in the financial year 2018/2019 it was 1,353.
- b) 198 of these vehicle were impounded in the financial year 2017/2018 and 373 were impounded in the financial year 2018/2019

In relation to the third and fourth part of your request we do not hold information on the number of separate fines issued, nor the number taken to prosecution.

Given the information is not held by City Parking (Glasgow) LLP we are unable to comply with this part of your request under Section 17 of the Act.

However by way of assistance we would advise that this information may be available from Glasgow City Council. Requests for information can be sent to:

Glasgow City Council Freedom of Information City Chambers George Square Glasgow G2 1DU

Email: foi@glasgow.gov.uk

Right of Review

If you are dissatisfied with the way City Parking (Glasgow) LLP has dealt with your request you are entitled to require City Parking (Glasgow) LLP to review its decision. Please note that for a review to take place you must:

- Lodge a written requirement for a review within 40 working days of the date of this letter
- Include a correspondence address and a description of the original request and the reason why you are dissatisfied
- Address your request to the Managing Director of City Parking (Glasgow) LLP:

Managing Director
City Parking (Glasgow) LLP
Floor 3
Cadogan 5
Anderson Centre
Glasgow
G2 7PH

Email: carparkinfo@cityparkingglasgow.co.uk

You will receive notice of the results of the review within 20 working days of receipt of your request. The notice will state the decision reached by the reviewing officer as well as details of how to appeal to the Scottish Information Commissioner if you are still dissatisfied with City Parking (Glasgow) LLP's response. You must request an internal review by City Parking (Glasgow) LLP before a complaint can be directed to the Scottish Information Commissioner.

Yours sincerely,

FOI Officer