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Anzir Boodoo

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Freedom of Information Act 2000

Dear Anzir Boodoo

This request is being handled under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Request

Dear Birmingham City Council,

We would like to request the locations and any data held on road blocks and modal filters installed by the Council.

We are requesting the geographical locations of these blocks and modal filters installed between 1970 and 2015, as well as the dates they were installed, the type of filter and the materials used

The data we require is:

- 1. Location
- 2. Date implemented (year or year/month)
- 3. Type of block or filter: allows pedestrians only, pedestrians & cyclists (modal filter), buses (bus gate), emergency services only (fire gate)
- 4. Information on materials if available (concrete, brick, planters etc.)

We are asking a number of Local Authorities for this information, and would like to make comparisons between authorities, so we may ask for clarification of some aspects and/or data points as part of our data cleaning process.

Thank you for your time, and we look forward to hearing from you

Yours faithfully,

Anzir Boodoo...

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Response

I am writing to advise you that, following a search of our paper and electronic records, I have established that the information you requested is not held by Birmingham City Council.

Birmingham City Council do not hold any information for modal filters installed between 1970 and 2015.

The recently installed modal filters were part of the Places for People (LTN) projects delivered as part of the Emergency Transport Plan and Active Travel Fund which were not delivered until September 2020.

Please quote the reference number 23751482 in any future communications.

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 40 working days from the date this authority issued its initial response to your original letter and should be addressed to:

Corporate Information Governance Team PO Box 16366 Birmingham B2 2YY

Email: <u>infogovernance@birmingham.gov.uk</u>

If you are still dissatisfied with the Council's response after the internal review you have a right of appeal to the Information Commissioner at:

The Information Commissioner's Office

Website: www.ico.org.uk

I will now close your request as of this date.

Yours faithfully

Leigh Mornington Business Support Co-ordinator

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