



Further to your information request FOI/EIR 25/26-375, please find your question and our response below.

Request:

We are currently in the process of contacting all relevant local authorities in England in relation to the Animal Welfare (Primate Licences) (England) Regulations 2024 which will fully enter into force from 6 April 2026.

Under the Freedom of Information Act, please provide:

1. The total number of applications the council have received under the Animal Welfare (Primate Licences) (England) Regulations 2024 between 6 April 2025 and 1 November 2025 inclusive.
2. Where applications have been received, the species of primate and the number of animals within each application.
3. The total number of licences granted and refused.

Response:

1. Zero
2. n/a
3. n/a

This concludes your request FOI/EIR 25/26-375.

If information has been refused, please treat this as a Refusal Notice for the purposes of the Act.

If you disagree with our decision or are otherwise unhappy with how we have dealt with your request in the first instance you may approach foi@eastcambs.gov.uk and request a review. A request for review must be made in no more than 40 working days from the date of this email.

Should you remain dissatisfied with the outcome you have a right under s50 of the Freedom of Information Act to appeal against the decision by contacting the Information Commissioner, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow SK9 5AF.