

## **Response to Request for Information**

Reference FOI 091544

Date 10 September 2015

## Planning Application

## Request:

This is a request for information under the Freedom of Information Act (2000). Please could your local authority provide the following information:

- 1) How many prior approval applications has your local authority granted for changes of use from office (B1a) to residential (C3) between the changes to the General Permitted Development Order coming into effect in May 2013 and 1 September 2015?
- 2) What is the total combined B1a floorspace which has been approved for conversion to C3 under these approved applications?
- 3) What is the total combined number of C3 residential units for which approval has been granted under these approved applications?
- 4) How many (or what proportion, whichever is more straightforward) of these approvals does your local authority believe had been implemented by 1 September 2015?

## Response:

In response to your request, we have established that the Council does not hold the above information in the format you have requested. Thus we are unable to provide any information relating to the above, and are informing you as required by Section 1(1) of the Freedom of Information Act.