



Reference: FOI1842

**Request:**

Please could you provide me with the following information (table template provided below for ease):

1) How many dedicated animal health and welfare staff in your Local Authority (by FTE) in each the following years: 2017, 2018, 2019? 1/2FTE each year for all animal welfare issues.

2) How many dedicated **on-farm** animal health and welfare staff in your authority for these years?

3) How many farm inspections/visits did your Local Authority carry out in each of these years? (If possible, please split between proactive and reactive visits)

4) How many prosecutions for farm animal welfare offences has your Local Authority made in each of these years?

If it does not exceed the time limit, please also provide the following:

5) The amount of resource applied to animal health and welfare in these years.

	2017	2018	2019
No. of dedicated animal health and welfare staff (FTE)	0.5 FTE	0.5 FTE	0.5 FTE
No. of dedicated <b>on-farm</b> animal health and welfare staff	Nil	Nil	nil
Number of farm inspections (reactive/ proactive)	28	16	14
Number of prosecutions for farm animal welfare offences	Nil	Nil	nil
Resource applied to animal health (£)	£24,654	£25,140	£25,640

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