

Reference: RFI 1708031

Request:

Please would you provide me with all recent Food Inspectors' full reports for the food hygiene ratings in your area? Ideally, I would like every report from the past year.

Response:

To ascertain this information would require manually checking 1400 food business on the FSA hygiene rating system, to provide full inspection reports for each food business within North Tyneside. An individual report consists of several pages and can be more than 10 pages.

Therefore this request is refused under s12 (1) Freedom of Information Act 2000, since the cost of complying would exceed the appropriate limit set out in the Freedom of Information and Data Protection (Appropriate Limit and Fees) Regulations 2004.

In assessing the cost of complying, the costs attributable to officer time involved in complying have been taken into account. Such costs are limited to £450.00 under the Regulations, which equates to eighteen hours of officer time.

The website link below details the hygiene ratings of businesses (please note this does not have the reports) www.food.gov.uk/ratings

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