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Mr Adam Beames

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Dear Mr Beames

## **FREEDOM OF INFORMATION: Decision**

I refer to your application dated 30 September 2019 in which you seek access to Council documents under the *Freedom of Information Act 1982 (FOI Act)*.

Specifically, you seek access to:

- *Documents detailing number of dog registrations for the 2018/2019 period*
- *Documents detailing number of unpaid dog registrations for the 2018/2019 period*
- *Documents detailing number of "letters of Offers" sent in relation to unpaid dog registration for the 2018/2019 period*
- *Documents stating that due to a state government Act Wyndham City Council is not able to offer payment extensions on upcoming animal registration renewals and*
- *Documents detailing which state government Act and section.*

A search of Councils databases has been conducted with a 'nil' result for the above points, bar one. After discussions with the Animal Management Unit the following information was ascertained. Please note that I have numbered the above points for easy reference.

1. *Dog Registrations for 2018/19 is: 19069;*
2. *Council does not collect statistic for unpaid dog registrations;*
3. *"Letters of Offers" are not provided by Councils regarding unpaid dog registrations;*
4. *There is no specific section under the relevant Act; that is, it is silent regarding detailed information associated with extensions on Animal registration renewals;*
5. *The relevant Act is the Domestic Animals Act 1994; under Section 10.*

The above information is provided to you outside of the FOI Act and therefore we do not require you to provide any proof of hardship as stated in my previous letter of acknowledgement dated, 4 October 2019.

Should you wish to discuss the above or have any questions regarding the above, please contact me on (03) 9742 0777.

Yours Sincerely



Loredana Drury  
**FREEDOM OF INFORMATION OFFICER**