

30 November 2022

Dear

**ATISN 16809**

Thank you for your request which I received on 28 October 2022. The information requested (against your questions at Annex 1) accompanies this disclosure letter.

If you are dissatisfied with the Welsh Government's handling of your request, you can ask for an internal review within 40 working days of the date of this response. Requests for an internal review should be addressed to the Welsh Government's Freedom of Information Officer at:

Information Rights Unit  
Welsh Government  
Cathays Park  
Cardiff  
CF10 3NQ

or e-mail: [Freedom.ofinformation@gov.wales](mailto:Freedom.ofinformation@gov.wales)

Please remember to quote the ATISN reference number above.

You also have the right to complain to the Information Commissioner. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office  
Wycliffe House  
Water Lane  
Wilmslow  
Cheshire  
SK9 5AF

Telephone: 0303 123 1113

Website: [www.ico.org.uk](http://www.ico.org.uk)

However, please note that the Commissioner will not normally investigate a complaint until it has been through our own internal review process.

Yours sincerely

## Annex 1

Can you please provide a listing of primary fires where sprinklers are recorded as present and the fire outcome for the financial year 2021/22. To help us to conduct the research on the trend of sprinkler use and activations using the data can we ask that the dataset **only** includes the following data elements, we have used the IRS reference questions for clarity on the request:

- FRS Name (1.2)
- Financial Year
- Month of Incident
- X Coordinate (to the nearest km)
- Y Coordinate (to the nearest km)
- Property category (Level 3) (3.2)
- Property category (Level 4) (3.2)
- Were there any active safety systems present? (7.11 – where data = Yes)
- Type of active safety systems present? (7.12 – where data = sprinklers )
- Location of active safety systems in relation to fire (7.13)
- Did the safety system operate? (7.14)
- How many operated? (7.15)
- Impact upon fire? (7.16)
- Reason system did not function as intended (7.17)
- Rapid fire growth (8.8)
- Location of fire origin (8.14)
- Building special construction description (8.18)
- Fire size on arrival (8.20)
- Extent of the area that is fire damaged (8.24)
- Floor fire originated (8.30)
- Number of pumps attending