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Further to your information request FOI/EIR 22/23-318 please find your question and our response below.

Request:

I am seeking information regarding East Cambridgeshire District Council payment for funerals of ex-service personnel who have died within the Local Authority area without a nominated next of kin for the last 5 years 2017- 2022.

Response:

East Cambridgeshire District Council published details of Public Health Funerals as part of our Open Data at: <https://eastcambs.gov.uk/notices/open-data-public-health-funerals>

Please note however, that we do not record information relating to people's professions and / or if they have spent time in the Services.

In respect of those requests that are answered in full, partially or the total refused, please take this as notice under FOIA, that we:

- a) Consider the information as exempt from disclosure under the Act;
- b) Claim exempt under sections of the Act:

Section 12(4)(a) – Information Not Held

- c) State why the exemption applies:

Regulation 12 (4) a public authority may refuse to disclose information to the extent that (a) it does not hold that information when an applicant's request is received.

This concludes your request FOI/EIR 22/23-318

If information has been refused please treat this as a Refusal Notice for the purposes of the Act.

If you disagree with our decision or are otherwise unhappy with how we have dealt with your request in the first instance you may approach foi@eastcambs.gov.uk and request a review. A request for review must be made in no more than 40 working days from the date of this email.

Should you remain dissatisfied with the outcome you have a right under s50 of the Freedom of Information Act to appeal against the decision by contacting the Information Commissioner, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow SK9 5AF.