

EAST CAMBRIDGESHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

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Further to your information request FOI/EIR 23/24-030, please find your question and our response below.

Request:

Please provide me with a list (in Excel format) of all large-scale renewable energy development planning applications (such as solar and wind farms), submitted between 02.10.2013 - 19.04.2023 whereby no decision was made within 26 weeks (unless a longer period has/had been agreed in writing between the applicant and the Local Authority) and no refund of fees has been made to date. The information should be provided in the following columns:

- Planning application reference
- Applicant name
- Planning application date
- Planning application fee paid (£)
- Decision due date
- Actual decision date
- Extension of time/Planning performance agreed yes or no?
- Evidence of extension yes or no?
- Withdrawn yes or no?
- Refund yes or no?

Response:

Please see attached excel spreadsheet which provides the applications for large scale renewable energy applications validated in the timeframe requested. To date no refunds have been made to date. Evidence of agreed extension of time requests are available on our public access system at https://www.eastcambs.gov.uk/planning/current-planning-applications.

This concludes your request FOI/EIR 23/24-030

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.