GREATERLONDON AUTHORITY

Our Ref: MGLA181218-0993

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Dear

Thank you for your request for information, which the Greater London Authority (GLA) received on 18 December 2018. Your request is being handled under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

You requested:

How many non-disclosure agreements have you as a local government/council agreed in each of the calendar years of 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, and 2018?

Please provide individual figures per year.

Please provide the total amount of financial compensation awarded as part of these agreements for the entirety of this period in £.

For clarity, I am using "non-disclosure agreement" in the sense that it is used by, for example, the House of Commons Women and Equalities Committee: an agreement that contains a confidentiality clause. They are also called "compromise agreements" and "settlement agreements."

In answer to your request, please see the spreadsheet below:

Year	Number*	Total £
2014	5	£90,029.70
2015	2	£10,155.48
2016	5	£92,959.85
2017	4	£45,226.32
2018	6	£245,741.51

^{*}These figures include redundancy and compensation payments only. They do not include payments made for contractual entitlements, under the agreements signed.

If you have any further questions relating to this matter, please contact me, quoting the reference MGLA181218-0993.

Yours sincerely

Ruth Phillips Information Governance Officer

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