

Dear

Freedom of Information request

Thank you for your email dated 29 January 2019.

Our response to your request is as follows:

You asked for the number of planning applications have been refused (including the percentage of refusals) in London for residential developments.

Planning application statistics are published by the Ministry of Housing, Communities and Local Government and can be found at <https://www.gov.uk/government/statistical-data-sets/live-tables-on-planning-application-statistics>. Table P135 records details of residential planning applications by planning authority. The historical data can be found further down the page. The Mayor does not keep separate records of planning refusals except for applications where the Mayor has directed refusal. You can view all of these on our website: <https://www.london.gov.uk/what-we-do/planning/planning-applications-and-decisions/direction-refuse-applications-0>.

You also requested the percentage of approvals back to 2016.

A list of live permissions and completions back to 2006 from the London Development Database can be found on the [London Datastore](#).

If you have any further questions relating to this matter, please contact me, quoting the reference MGLA290119-4406

Yours sincerely

Planning Support Manager

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