GREATER LONDON AUTHORITY

(By email)

Our Ref: MGLA140119-3180

21 January 2019

Dear

Thank you for your request for information which the GLA received on 14 January 2019. Your request has been dealt with under the Freedom of Information Act (2000)

Your request is:

I wish to request, under the Freedom of Information Act, that you supply me with: The number of council-owned empty properties in 2016, 2017, 2018 and currently.

Our response to your request is as follows:

The GLA is a strategic local authority and other than a very small number of residential properties that were transferred from organisations that wound up in 2012 and whose assets were transferred to the GLA, we do not own or manage public housing. Neither do we hold detailed information on vacant buildings that belong to local Boroughs which you will need to obtain directly from them.

In respect of non-residential properties where we do have a day to day responsibility, we own very few buildings and those that are empty form part of development schemes that are either under construction, subject to contractual agreements or are currently being marketed.

GLA Land and Property (GLAP) Empty Properties 2016-2019

Type of Property/Year	2016	2017	2018	2019
Residential properties empty	0	0	0	0
Industrial/commercial properties empty	6	7	8	8

If you have any further questions relating to this matter, please contact me, quoting the reference at the top of this letter.

Yours sincerely

Paul Robinson Information Governance Officer

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