

GREATER LONDON AUTHORITY

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(By email)

Our Ref: MGLA090321-7875

30 March 2021

Dear ██████

Thank you for your request for information about lighting, which the Greater London Authority (GLA) received on 17 March 2021. Your request has been considered under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 and the Environmental Information Regulations 2004.

Please find below / attached the information we hold within the scope of your request:

- *Do you have any Filament Light-bulbs in buildings (offices etc.), if so are these scheduled to be upgraded, if so when? Also please provide number of filament bulbs.*

We do not have any Filament lamps onsite.

Do you have a current count of how many LED bulbs you are using

Currently we have upgraded 560 to LED Lamps.

- *Do you have any Halogen Bulbs, if so are these scheduled to be upgraded, if so when? Also please provide number of Halogen bulbs.*

We have approximately 3,265 Halogen Lamps. There are no plans at this stage to upgrade to LED due to the City Hall relocation.

- *Can you provide me with your average yearly costs of replacing/upgrading bulbs and the price paid per bulb.*

We pay our contractor CBRE £2,602 per annum to maintain the office lighting.

A further breakdown is not available within the appropriate limit. Under section 12 of the FOI Act, we are not obliged to comply with a request if the cost of determining whether we hold the information, locating and retrieving it and extracting it from other information would exceed the appropriate limit. This is calculated at £25 per hour for every hour spent on the activities described and equates to 18 hours of work.

- Can you provide me with your energy usage from lighting council buildings broken down by each month from Jan - December 2020. (If this information is not available, total building energy consumption will suffice)

The below information is the energy consumption for the whole building, it is not broken down by lighting.

	Electricity 2019-20	
Month	Consumption (kWh)	CO ₂ (tonneage)
Jan-20	277,830	76
Feb-20	256,120	70
Mar-20	249,390	69
Apr-20	175,000	48
May-20	170,300	47
Jun-20	179,690	49
Jul-20	185,920	48
Aug-20	219,350	60
Sep-20	210,350	58
Oct-20	230,540	61
Nov-20	210,330	58
Dec-20	225,430	62

- Do you have a policy for light bulb purchases currently in place.

Our contractors use their preferred suppliers to purchase lamps.

- What percentage of your lighting is using efficient LED Luminaries

14.64%

If you have any further questions relating to this matter, please contact me, quoting the reference MGLA090321-7875.

Yours sincerely

Information Governance Officer

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