



Further to your information request FOI/EIR 25/26-112, please find your question and our response below.

Request:

I am seeking information relating to accommodation that has been classed as 'exempt'. I am seeking the housing benefit paid for such accommodation, broken down to include housing benefit and service charges as outlined below.

Please can you disclose the following:

1. Details of the lowest awarded eligible core rent.
2. Details of the highest awarded eligible core rent.
3. Details of the lowest awarded gross eligible rent (i.e. inclusive of the core rent and the eligible service charges).
4. Please confirm the names of exempt accommodation providers in your area. Please name the providers/landlords who currently hold exempt accommodation status in respect of any of their residents.
5. Please confirm the lowest and highest paid for temporary/emergency accommodation on a nightly rate basis.
6. Please confirm the lowest and highest amount paid to landlords and/or suppliers for temporary/emergency accommodation on a lease basis broken down by property type (table below)
7. Please can you provide the Head of Temporary/Emergency accommodation (or equivalent position) contact details, including direct e-mail and phone number.

Response:

1. £229.48 per week

2. £426.90

3. £426.90

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CAMBRIDGE HOUSING SOCIETY

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EMPOWER HOUSING ASSOCIATION

HUNDRED HOUSES SOCIETY

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THE EDMUND TRUST

5. £296.76 per week / £241.16 per week

6. We don't lease any temporary accommodation from private landlords and/or suppliers.

7. Angela Parmenter, Housing and Community Advice Manager. Email:

angela.parmenter@eastcambs.gov.uk Tel: 01353 665555, please note that this number is for the main switchboard, we do not provide direct dials.

This concludes your request FOI/EIR 25/26-112.

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.