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Enquiries to: Information Compliance Officer

Freedom of Information Act 2000

Dear [REDACTED]

We are writing in respect of your application for the release of information held by the Service, which we received on 9 January 2025. We can confirm that we have now completed our search for the information requested.

You asked:

Please provide the following data for the period from January 1, 2019, to December 31, 2024:

- 1. The total number of callouts to fire incidents at student halls/student residences*
- 2. The total number of callouts to student halls/student residences that were false alarms.*
- 3. The total number of callouts to student halls/student residences that were the result of a real fire incident.*

If possible, please provide this information broken down by year.

Our answer:

We can confirm that we hold the information requested, please find it below.

Year	False Alarm	Fire	Total Call Outs
2019	73	5	78
2020	41	5	46

2021	51	3	54
2022	33	3	36
2023	16	4	20
2024	35	2	37
Total	249	22	271

The above concludes our investigation into this matter.

Any future correspondence with Hampshire and Isle of Wight Fire and Rescue Service in relation to this matter should be sent to the Information Compliance Officer at the above address.

If for whatever reason you are unhappy with our response you may request an internal review by contacting DP@hantsfire.gov.uk or by writing to the Data Protection Officer at the above address.

Should you remain dissatisfied you can appeal against the internal review decision by contacting the Information Commissioners Office. This can be done online at www.ico.org.uk/foicomplaints or by post to The Information Commissioner, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow SK9 5AF.

Yours sincerely

Information Compliance Officer
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