



Freedom of Information Request FOI 20 68

Fleet list

Query and response:

I am writing to request the following information under the Freedom of Information Act:

1) An up-to-date fleet list including the following information:

- a. Vehicle type (i.e. water tender, turntable ladder etc.)
- b. Call sign
- c. Home station or department
- d. Make/manufacture
- e. Age of vehicle (or year brought into service)
- f. Fleet number

Please find attached a spreadsheet called "FOI 20 68 Fleet list".

Under the terms of the Freedom of Information Act, a request for information can be refused where one or more exemptions listed in the Act apply. Callsigns have been withheld under section 24 of the Act. Section 24 exempts information for the purpose of safeguarding national security. It is a qualified exemption, which means that it is subject to a public interest test.

We acknowledge the public interest in openness and transparency, but we consider that there is also a strong public interest in us protecting national security. As an emergency service, we must ensure that operationally sensitive intelligence is appropriately protected. Releasing detailed information such as callsigns may prejudice our ability to maintain both our own and national security. For this reason, we consider that the public interest in maintaining this exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosure.

2) Please confirm whether there are any vehicles currently on order or awaiting delivery from suppliers.

We currently have the following vehicles on order:

- X19 Super Pumping Appliances – 2020/21
- X6 Super Pumping Appliances – 2021/22
- X6 Super Pumping Appliances – 2022/23
- X5 Super Pumping Appliances – 2023/24
- X4 Large 4x4 Pumping Appliances – 2021/22
- X2 Tech Rescue Units – 2020/21
- X2 Light 4x4 Pumping Appliances – 2020/21

3) Please list any vehicles that have been disposed of or sold in 2019 or so far in 2020.

Please find attached a spreadsheet called "FOI 20 68 Fleet list – disposals".

Information/Detail accurate on the date provided: 21, September 2020