



Freedom of Information Request FOI 23 150

Electrical Vehicle Fires

I refer to your recent Freedom of Information request received on 26 October 2023, requesting the following information:

For the purpose of statistical analysis related to electric vehicle fires, I request information on individual cases of electric vehicle fire incidents that have occurred in Dorset & Wiltshire in the last 5 years (2018-2023).

The information I am seeking includes:

- 1. Number of EV fires from Jan. 2018 - Current***
- 2. Please include a breakdown of types of vehicle in the data (car, bus/coach, e-bike/escooter, etc)***
- 3. Please include details on day, month, year, location cause of fire, fire spread and injuries/fatalities as a result of the fire***
- 4. If possible, can you provide any details on the vehicle or battery Informations, or if the batteries had a battery management system or state of health monitoring?***

I hope to receive the file in Excel format.

Please find attached Excel spreadsheet that answers Questions 1-3. We are unable to answer Q4 as we do not keep this information.

Information/Detail accurate on the date provided: 08, November 2023