Reference: FOI0751



Request:

I am writing to you under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to request the following information:

- How much money has been spent correcting road signs that have been spelt wrong? Please provide the incorrect spelling and then the correct spelling for each sign.
- How much money has been spent correcting road signs that have been wrong in any other way than spelling?

Response:

The Council outsourced a number of its central "technical" services to Capita under a long term contract that commenced on 1st November 2012. The arrangement will last until 2022 but may be extended until 2027. As such this service is provided for the Council by Capita, which is a private company and as such is exempt from the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act. The information requested is not the Council's information.

The information supplied to you is owned by the council unless otherwise stated and may be protected by copyright. You are free to use it for your own purposes, including any non-commercial research or for the purposes of news reporting. Any other re-use of a commercial nature will require the permission of the Council. Further enquiries in this respect should be directed to Head of Law and Governance, North Tyneside Council, Quadrant The Silver Link North, Cobalt Business Park, North Tyneside, NE27 0BY