



Reference: FOI3409

Request:

1) Between 1st January 2018 and 31st December 2020:

a. how many puppies/dogs were seized by Trading Standards on suspicion that they were in breach of the Rabies Order 1974;

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b. how many of these puppies/dogs were subsequently quarantined;

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and

c. how many of these puppies/dogs went to a licensed quarantine facility for their quarantine period and how many were quarantined at home?

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2) For each calendar year from 1st January 2018 up to 31st December 2020, how many prosecutions has the Local Authority carried out in relation to illegally imported puppies under either:

a. the Rabies Order 1974; or

b. The Non-Commercial Movement of Pet Animals Order 2011; or

c. Other legislation (please state),

and for any prosecutions relating to illegally imported puppies, please state the penalties received by the defendant in the case.

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3) For each calendar year from 1st January 2018 up to 31st December 2020:

a. how many reports have you received, either from the general public or anyone else, in relation to the suspected illegal importation of puppies?

****4 reports received****

b. please confirm how many of these reports have been investigated further. Please provide figures for each year.

****2018 - 1****

****2019 - 1****

****2020 - 2****