

Freedom of Information Request

Request:

Costs of reaching pension entitlement decision - To be provided with the information on how much the Pensions Agency has spent defending this case

Status: Complete

Response Date: 21/10/2009

I can confirm that the Authority holds information falling within the description specified in your request. However, I estimate that the cost of complying with your request would exceed the appropriate limit of £450. The appropriate limit has been specified in regulations and for non-central Government departments it is set at £450. This represents the estimated cost of one person spending 2½ working days in determining whether the Authority holds the information, and locating, retrieving and extracting the information. Under section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act the Authority is not obliged to comply with your request.