

Request 6332

(SCDC) Software systems

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

from you regarding Planning, Land Charges, Building control and Public Protection/Licencing/Environmental Health.

Please could you provide the following information:

- 1) What Software Systems are currently used by the Council for Planning, Land Charges, Building control and Public Protection/Licencing/Environmental Health?
- 2) For each of the software systems listed in question 1, when does each contract expire?
- 3) For each of the software systems listed in question 1, what is the annual maintenance cost of each software system?
- 4) For each of the software systems listed in question 1, are you planning to go to market for a different software system? If so, when?
- 5) Does your IT strategy describe consolidating systems onto a single software system?
- 6) How many users / licenses for each of the software systems listed in question system do you have?
- 7) Who is the person responsible for your Software System? Please provide full name, title and contact information if possible?

Response

- 1) What Software Systems are currently used by the Council for;
Planning – Agile Planning
Land Charges – M3 Land Charges
Building control - Agile Building Control
Public Protection/Licencing/Environmental Health? – M3 Public Protection, Lalpac
- 2) For each of the software systems listed in question 1, when does each contract expire?
Planning – 31/03/2020
Land Charges – 31/03/2020
Building control - 31/03/2020
Public Protection/Licencing/Environmental Health? - M3 31/03/2020, Lalpac 06/06/2020
- 3) For each of the software systems listed in question 1, what is the annual maintenance cost of each software system?
Planning – £10,328 (includes Building Control)
Land Charges – £30,408 (includes Environmental Health)
Building control - as above
Public Protection/Licencing/Environmental Health? - M3 as above, Lalpac £10,351
- 4) For each of the software systems listed in question 1, are you planning to go to market for a different software system? If so, when?
Planning – shared service project already underway to replace system
Land Charges – shared service project already underway to replace system
Building control - shared service project already underway to replace system
Public Protection/Licencing/Environmental Health? – project already underway to replace system
- 5) Does your IT strategy describe consolidating systems onto a single software system? Yes, single systems, shared services or joint procurements with other authorities within 3C (Cambridge City and Huntingdonshire District Council) will be considered where practicable.