

## **FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000**

Further to our interim response of 7<sup>th</sup> November we have had the opportunity to investigate the final part of your Freedom of Information query.

**You asked:**

**1 – How many council homes in Leicester have been sold under the RTB scheme since 1980?**

**2 – What was the average price paid?**

**3 – What was the lowest and highest price paid for a home?**

**4 – What proportion of those homes are now inhabited by homeowners, by tenants, derelict or otherwise?**

**Response:**

**We have already provided responses to question 1, 2 and 3.**

**Question 4: As explained in our previous response we only have computerised records from 2004. Since that date we have sold 1,144 local authority properties under the Right to Buy scheme. From interrogating our Revenue and Benefits database we can advise on the current status of these properties as follows:**

<b>Homeowners</b>	<b>1,003</b>
<b>Tenants</b>	<b>111</b>
<b>Empty</b>	<b>14</b>
<b>Derelict</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Other</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1144</b>

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Yours sincerely

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