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Please ask for:

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Our ref: IG001032

Dyddiad/Date: 14th September 2021

RE: Request for Information held by SWFRS

Your request ref: IG001032 has been dealt with under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

You asked us:

I'm a reporter at PA looking to find out how many fires there have been in buildings with ACM cladding since the fire at Grenfell in June 2017.

Please could you provide figures for:

1) The number of fires your crews have attended at buildings with ACM cladding (listed on the Government website) since 14 June 2017.

Year	Incidents
2017	3
2018	1
2019	1
2020	1
2021	2
Grand Total	8

Scope: Incidents attended by SWFRS from 15/06/2017 to 14/09/2021 (Date of Data Extraction) recorded on the Incident Recording System (IRS). SWFRS only holds data for its Service Area so only incidents from South Wales have been included.

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2) The number of fatalities caused by fires at buildings with ACM cladding since 14 June 2017.

There have been no recorded fatalities caused by Fires at buildings with ACM Cladding since 14th of June 2017.

Data: Incident report based on data extracted from SWFRS IRS on 14/09/2021 – data may be subject to change pending validation of IRS incident records.

Please let me know if you need this request to be refined or clarified in any way.

If you have any queries regarding your Freedom of Information request, please contact us at Dataprotection@southwales-fire.gov.uk quoting the reference number above in any future communication.

If you are dissatisfied with the way that your information request has been handled, you can request an internal review by emailing Dataprotection@southwales-fire.gov.uk

We would like to thank you for your patience at this time.

If you remain dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to appeal to the Information Commissioner at:

Information Commissioner's Office-Wales, 2nd Floor, Churchill House, Churchill Way, Cardiff, CF10 2HH.

There is no charge for making an appeal.

Yours Faithfully

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UPDATE COVID-19: Information Requests

We are kindly asking that any data protection correspondence come to Information Governance & Compliance via email, as due to Government advice many of our support staff are working flexibly and we may not be in receipt of physical post as normal. SWFRS anticipates that it may take us longer than 20 working days to complete Freedom of Information Requests and Subject Access Requests. The Information Commissioner recognises that there might be delays as our services and resources may be being utilised in slightly different ways, under the current unprecedented circumstances. At current, we are no longer accepting physical postal cheques, however we can accept BACs payments for items that carry a fee (such as IRS Reports and Interviews, where appropriate following standard procedure and charges).

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