

# East Lothian Council

FOI Ref: 2018/514985

Name of local authority:

*1. In the last five calendar years, how many reports (either in writing, by telephone or online) have you received, either from the general public or anyone else, in relation to the suspected illegal importation of puppies? Please provide the figures for each calendar year and confirm how many of them were from the general public.*

Year	Overall number of reports received	Number of reports from general public
2013	Nil	Nil
2014	Nil	Nil
2015	Nil	Nil
2016	Nil	Nil
2017	Nil	Nil
2018 so far	2	1

*2. Please confirm how many of these reports have been investigated further. Please provide the figures for each calendar year.*

Year	Number of reports investigated further
2013	Not applicable
2014	Not applicable
2015	Not applicable
2016	Not applicable
2017	Not applicable
2018 so far	2

*3. Please confirm how many a) animal rehoming organisations and b) animal sanctuaries are located in your local authority area.*

	Number within local authority area
Animal Rehoming Organisations	None
Animal Sanctuaries	None