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Your reference: C1308
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Dear Cherie Keeler,

**Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA)
VOA ref: 11785266.2/CEO**

Thank you for your request clarification received on 17 July, which we are treating as a request for information under the FOIA.

Your request for information Under the FOIA:

"How many mobile homes in England have been re -banded in 2017"

Response to your request:

As required by section 1(1)(a) of the Act I can confirm that the Valuation Office Agency (VOA) holds information falling within the scope of your request.

There were 81 Mobile Homes in England with a band change between 1 January 2017 and 30 June 2017.

Here we have used the 30 June 2017 extract of our data, which is the latest available at the time of your request. The extract contains a series of field/variable names and we have filtered the data in order to identify what is sought by setting them as follows:

- 'Group' has been set to "Caravans and Mobile Homes"
- 'Business Stream' has been set to "Mobile Home or Houseboat"

Filtering the data in this way should exclude caravans and houseboats and is a reasonably reliable estimate for the information requested, without exceeding the costs exemption limit set out in the FOIA and Data Protection (Appropriate Limit and Fees) Regulations 2004.

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Yours sincerely,

Information and Analysis,
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