## **Information Released under Freedom of Information Act**

**Subject:** Request for the number of companies' registration broken down by Sic codes and postal regions in the last 3 years

Date Released: 16 October 2015

**Summary of request:** The enquirer requested the number of companies' registration broken down by Sic codes and postal regions in the last 3 years

## **Information Released**

Unfortunately, Companies House does not collate the type of information you have requested. However, as part of our products and services package, Companies House produces a DVD ROM Directory, which contains basic company details on over two million companies at a cost of £30.

You can perform various searches on the DVD including:-

Company Name (any part of)

Registered Office Address lines

Postcode

Date of incorporation (or ranges of dates)

Company Type

Company Status

Up to 6 combinations of these options can be used in any search.

https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/companies-house/about/about-our-services

You may also be interested in the CH free company data product which provides a snapshot from the public register in CSV format <a href="http://download.companieshouse.gov.uk/en\_output.html">http://download.companieshouse.gov.uk/en\_output.html</a>
Searches can also be made via our new API, more details can be found at our developer hub: <a href="https://developer.companieshouse.gov.uk/api/docs/">https://developer.companieshouse.gov.uk/api/docs/</a>

I must refuse your request as under section 21 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 any information that is reasonably accessible to the applicant, albeit on payment of a fee, is exempt information under the Act.