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Dear

Freedom of Information request: 2017 roadwork data

Thank you for your Freedom of Information (FOI) request dated 12 March 2018, asking for roadwork data for schemes that started and finished in 2017. I am dealing with it under the terms of the Environmental Information Regulations (EIR) 2004.

This is because the information requested concerns measures and activities affecting or likely to affect elements of the environment or affect factors such as noise, pollution discharges and other releases into the environment.

The table below lists the questions contained within your 12 March 2018 email. On 14 March 2018, you responded to my clarification request (dated the same day), confirming that questions 2 and 3 relate to schemes that started and finished in 2017.

The following table contains the requested information:

Question:		Response:
1	<i>What was the total number of roadworks/road maintenance projects managed by Highways England started and completed in 2017?</i>	674
2	<i>How many roadworks/road maintenance projects managed by Highways England were not completed by original target completion dates in 2017?</i>	We completed 159 of the 453 schemes we delivered in 2017 ahead of the original target date. Of the schemes completed late, 185 were completed within a week of the planned completion date.
3	<i>Of those not completed by original target dates, what was the average overrun time in days of roadworks/road maintenance projects managed by Highways England that was completed and finished in 2017?</i>	39 days
4	<i>What was the average cost for roadworks/road</i>	£374k

	<i>maintenance projects managed by Highways England that was started and completed in 2017?</i>	
5	<i>What was the least a roadworks/road maintenance project managed by Highways England cost that was started and completed in 2017?</i>	£799
6	<i>What was the most a roadworks/road maintenance project managed by Highways England cost that was started and completed in 2017?</i>	£8.2m
7	<i>What was the average time of completion for roadworks/road maintenance projects managed by Highways England that was started and completed in 2017?</i>	36 days
8	<i>What was the shortest time for completion of a roadworks/road maintenance project managed by Highways England that was started and completed in 2017?</i>	0 days
9	<i>What was the longest time for completion of a roadworks/road maintenance project managed by Highways England that was started and completed in 2017?</i>	285 days

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<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/highways-england/about/complaints-procedure>

If you require a print copy, please phone the Information Line on 0300 123 5000; or e-mail info@highwaysengland.co.uk. You should contact me if you wish to complain.

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
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If you have any queries about this letter, please contact me. Please remember to quote reference number 760,785 in any future communications.

Yours sincerely

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