## Information Released under Freedom of Information Act

**Subject:** Request for how many businesses registered with an address in the village of Knowle (in the West Midlands) have ceased trading in each of the following years? 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018

## Date Released: 23 August 2018

**Summary of request:** The applicant requested ow many businesses registered with an address in the village of Knowle (in the West Midlands) have ceased trading in each of the following years? 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018

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Companies House provides a free company data product which is a downloadable data snapshot containing basic company data of live companies on the register. This information can be accessed on our website via the following link:

## http://download.companieshouse.gov.uk/en\_output.html

To ascertain the number of companies on the register in the area you have specified, a filter of column H titled 'Registered Office Address' of each of the 5 Basic Company Data files can be performed which will identify each company in that area.

Companies House does not routinely collate information on companies which have ceased trading. Depending on the company you many find this information on their annual accounts.

As the information you require is available to you by searching our website and products, I am unable to provide you with the information you have requested. The information is exempt from disclosure under section 21 of the FOIA as it is reasonably accessible to you.