



My Ref: EIR 6260
Enquiries to: Information Requests
E-Mail: informationrequests@barnsley.gov.uk

Dear Requester,

Re: Request for Information – Environmental Information Regulations 2004

I wish to confirm that the council has completed its search for the information which you requested.

The information requested and our findings are as follows: -

Please provide the following information relating to liners used in your household food waste collection service:

- 1. Does the council recommend or require residents to use food waste liners in kitchen food caddies?**
- 2. If yes, what types of liners are accepted?**
 - Compostable liners only
 - Plastic liners
 - Any liner type
 - No liners accepted
- 3. Does the council supply food waste liners to residents?**
 - Yes
 - No
- 4. If yes, please state the type supplied.**
- 5. What treatment process is used for collected food waste?**
 - Anaerobic digestion
 - In-vessel composting
 - Other (please specify)
- 6. Are food waste liners removed from the food waste stream at any stage of the treatment process?**
 - Yes
 - No
 - Partially
 - Information not held by the council
- 7. If liners are removed, please state:**
 - a) which liner types are removed;**
 - b) at what stage of the process they are removed; and**
 - c) the final destination of the removed liners (e.g. energy recovery, landfill, recycling or other treatment process).**

8. If the council's food waste is processed by a third-party contractor, please provide the name of the processing contractor and facility used.

9. Please provide a copy of, or web link to, the current guidance issued to residents regarding the use of food waste liners.

Barnsley council does not provide a kerbside collection of food waste.

If you have any queries about this letter, please contact Information Requests Via email.

Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

If you are unhappy with the way the Directorate has handled your request, you may ask for an internal review. Please clearly mark your correspondence 'Complaint' and address it to:

Barnsley MBC
Information Requests Team
PO Box 634
Barnsley
S70 9GG
email: informationrequests@barnsley.gov.uk

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: -

Customer Services Team
Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire
SK9 5AF

Email: <http://www.ico.org.uk/foicomplaints>

Kind regards,

Information Requests Team, Barnsley MBC

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