

Freedom of Information request: Reference number FOI2026/01183

Date of request: 21st September

Request:

I am making a request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Please search your incident records for the period from 1 January 2022 to 12 September 2026 for any incident involving a fire affecting a street tree, tree, vegetation or similar outdoor fire at or immediately adjacent to:

2, 2A and 2B Glencairn Road
London
SW16 5DF

I am particularly interested in an incident involving a large tree situated beside the footway in the vicinity of the above addresses.

If an incident is identified, please provide:

1. The date and approximate time of the incident.
2. The incident number/reference.
3. The recorded location.
4. The recorded type and description of the incident.
5. The number of appliances attending.
6. Any non-personal information describing the tree, vegetation or other item involved in the fire.
7. Any information recorded concerning damage caused to the tree or surrounding area.
8. Any record of another authority, including Lambeth Council, being notified or attending following the incident.

I do not require any personal information relating to members of the public and I am content for such information to be redacted.

Please provide the information electronically.

Response:

Thank you for your request for information, received on 21 September 2026, which has been handled under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA).

You requested information relating to incidents involving a fire affecting a tree, vegetation, or a similar outdoor fire at or adjacent to 2, 2A and 2B Glencairn Road, London SW16 5DF, for the period 1 January 2022 to 12 September 2026.

The London Fire Brigade has identified one relevant incident within the scope of your request. Having considered the information held, we have determined that some of the information requested is exempt from disclosure under [Section 21 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000, as it is reasonably accessible to you by other means.](#)

Regarding questions 1 to 5 of your request (the date and approximate time of the incident, incident reference number, recorded location, incident type and description, and the number of appliances that attended), this information is publicly available through the London Fire Brigade's Incident Records and Mobilisation Records datasets, which are published on the London Datastore.

These datasets contain details of incidents attended by the Brigade, including incident dates, locations, incident classifications and appliance mobilisation data. The relevant incident can be located using incident reference 214644-15112025.

Incident Records:

<https://data.london.gov.uk/dataset/london-fire-brigade-incident-records-em8xy>

Mobilisation Records:

<https://data.london.gov.uk/dataset/london-fire-brigade-mobilisation-records>

As this information is publicly available and reasonably accessible, it is exempt from disclosure under [Section 21 FOIA.](#)

Regarding questions 6 to 8 of your request (information describing the tree or vegetation involved, details of any damage recorded, and any record of another authority, including Lambeth Council, being notified or attending), this information forms part of the records associated in the incident report.

The London Fire Brigade has a separate process for obtaining incident reports and associated operational records relating to individual incidents. Information about applying for an incident report, including eligibility requirements and applicable charges, is available on our website: <https://www.london-fire.gov.uk/about-us/services-and-facilities/services-we-offer/incident-reports/>

Should you wish to obtain information held within the incident report, you may submit an application using the online form available via the above link. Please note that applicants must meet the relevant eligibility criteria and that a fee is payable for this service.

We have processed your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. Further information about the FOIA process can be found on our website: <https://www.london-fire.gov.uk/about-us/transparency/request-information-from-us/>