

Ealing Council

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Dear ,

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 - INFORMATION REQUEST

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request received by the Council on 13th February 2024.

Your request:

My FOI request in 2 parts

How many refugees/asylum seekers are housed in hotels in Ealing?

Please redirect this question to the Home Office who are responsible for housing refugees/asylum seekers. foirequests@homeoffice.gov.uk

How many homeless people, other than the above, are housed in hotels?

714 Households

My requests are due to the fact that I thought the government paid for asylum seeker/refugee accommodation as they have to be housed somewhere other than in a tent on an old airfield. And of course they are given paltry sums to live on and are not allowed to work.

At least 2 hotels are being used for this purpose.

The Council used to have a habit of dumping people in an awful hostel near me-fortunately now closed.

I also have a block of flats near me that has housed homeless people for over 15 years now & it is well run and maintained.

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Yours sincerely,

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