

**FOI Reference Number:** FOI/145/1920

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**Request:**

I wish to make a Freedom of Information request. Please can you provide me with the most recent food hygiene and safety inspection information including the inspection rating, inspection reports, and allergen inspection reports for the following manufacturing facility:

[REDACTED]

If not included in the hygiene and safety inspection reports, please can you also provide:

- the results of all laboratory testing carried out on the food products including but not limited to listeria, e-coli and salmonella
- details of any enforcement action taken against the company
- details of any food hygiene or safety breaches and worker safety breaches
- details of any fines imposed on the company

Also, please can you provide me with the name of the Primary Inspection Authority for the company, if one exists.

**Response:**

Thank you for your information request which Mid and East Antrim Borough Council received on 19 July 2019.

Please find below Mid and East Antrim Borough Council's response to the information you requested in relation to food hygiene and safety inspection.

***Please be advised that we are not the enforcing authority for Food Hygiene in [REDACTED]. This is the responsibility of the Department of Agriculture and Rural Affairs (DAERA).***

***We are responsible for Food Standards Enforcement.***

***Since we are not the enforcing authority for Food hygiene we do not undertake any microbiological sampling.***

***Last three bullet points - Not applicable.***

***Name of Primary Authority - Primary Authority Scheme does not apply in Northern Ireland.***

If you are dissatisfied with the handling of part of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review. Internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be addressed to the Chief Executive at the Braid Ballymena Town Hall, 1-29 Bridge Street, Ballymena, BT43 5EJ.

Please remember to quote the reference number FOI/145/1920 in any future communications.

If you are not content with the outcome of an 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, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.

Please be advised that Mid and East Antrim Borough Council may release the response to this information request into the public domain via our website at <https://www.midandeastantrim.gov.uk/>.

If we publish our response to your request, your personal data will be removed to protect your privacy.