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Dear,

I am writing in response to your enquiry under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) reference FOI/17/08/36.

You requested the following information, please also see our response below:

Since 2010 and per year:

1.How many traffic accidents have ambulances in your fleet been involved in - not attended but been in an actual accident?

Please see table below. We have given the figures for financial years so it is comparable as our insurance premiums are paid each financial year.

2. How many ambulances have been involved in fatal road accidents since 2010?

To extract this information would mean going through each individual record and exceed 18hours and would therefore fall under Section 12- FOI (Appropriate limit and fees) Regulations 2004 Please be advised that the severity of RTC's vary and also include minor incidents.

3. How many pounds' worth of damage has been caused?

Please see table below

4. How much does insuring the fleet cost?

Please see table below

Financial Year	Insurance costs	Number Of Accidents	Accident Repair Costs
2009-10	£937,591	533	£376,006
2010-11	£1,229,801	581	£475,248
2011-12	£1,027,832	557	£457,553
2012-13	£1,217,645	573	£646,315
2013-14	£1,269,330	645	£696,634
2014-15	£1,371,795	792	£550,179
2015-16	£1,719,778	893	£525,773
2016-17	£1,728,683	741	£391,720
2017-18	£1,718,555	380	£246,295

The figures above are rounded up to the nearest £1

I hope you find this information of some assistance.

If for any reason you are dissatisfied with our response, kindly in the first instance contact Caroline Smart, Information Governance Manager via the following email address:

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Yours sincerely

Freedom of Information Coordinator
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