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Dear Mr Kempe

REQUEST FOR INFORMATION: RENTS AS AGREED BY CAMPING IN THE FOREST AND FORESTRY AND LAND SCOTLAND FOR THE CAMPSITES AT GLENMORE, COBLELAND AND CASHELL

Thank you for your e mail dated 25 August 2020 requesting further information in relation to the above.

Information Requested

You have requested the following information:

- 1) Current rent, as agreed by Camping in the Forest and Forestry Scotland/Forest and Land Scotland for the campsites at a) Glenmore b) Cobleland c) Cashell
- 2) What rent, if any, has been paid in advance for the six months from 1st April 2020 as required by the lease
- 3) If no rent was paid as per requirements of the lease, a copy of all information FLS/FS holds pertaining to the non-payment of that rent including any agreement that it should be waived, reduced or deferred
- 4) Any information held about future rent payments that may have been agreed as a consequence of the Covid crisis.



Information released.

Please find below response to your questions

1) Current rent, as agreed by Camping in the Forest and Forestry Scotland/Forest and Land Scotland for the campsites at a) Glenmore b) Cobleland c) Cashel

Ans: 1. Glenmore	Annual Rent £35,000	Total for 20/21 with RPI CHON will be £53,669
2. Cobeland	Annual Rent £ 5,000	Total for 20/21 with RPI CHON will be £ 7,667
3. Cashel	Annual Rent £10,500	Total for 20/21 with RPI CHON will be £16,100

All increased using the RPI CHON index, Feb 2020/Feb 2006 as applied at 8th May annually.

2) What rent, if any, has been paid in advance for the six months from 1st April 2020 as required by the lease

Ans: All of the six monthly rentals due as at 1st April 2020 have been paid.

3) If no rent was paid as per requirements of the lease, a copy of all information FLS/FS holds pertaining to the non-payment of that rent including any agreement that it should be waived, reduced or deferred

Ans: - N/A

4) Any information held about future rent payments that may have been agreed as a consequence of the Covid crisis.

Ans: N/A

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Yours sincerely

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