



## Access to Public Information Response

May 19<sup>th</sup> 2017

### REQUEST UNDER THE CODE OF PRACTICE FOR ACCESS TO PUBLIC INFORMATION

Request sent on May 19<sup>th</sup> 2017:

To whom it may concern,

I would like to request information under the Code of Practice for Access to Information.

Please could you supply me with a list of all the Fire Hydrants for which you have coverage? I understand that all Fire and Rescue services have access to a list of hydrant locations.

Further to this, I would like to know the following for all fire hydrants in your administrative region:

1. Location in Easting and Northing coordinates
2. Please give an indication as to whether the fire hydrant is still in use
3. Responsible water supplier

Please could you provide this in CSV format?

Thank you in advance!

States of Guernsey response sent on 2 May 2017:

Further to your request under the Code of Practice for Access to Public Information, please see below for a response from the Guernsey Fire and Rescue Service.

There are approximately 1,200 fire hydrants on the Island, all are in use and all are fed by Guernsey Water.

We are unable to provide the coordinates for each hydrant in CSV format. From a security perspective we cannot make this information available in the public domain. This is in line with clause 2.1 of the Code of Practice on Access to Public Information as published by the States of Guernsey as it falls within the category of 'information whose non-disclosure is required for the security, safety and well-being of the Bailiwick.'

We can however confirm that we do endeavour to follow the national guidance regarding access to hydrants for all new developments in Guernsey.