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**Request:**

1. *Is your service paying Immediate Detriment on Firefighters Pensions?*
2. *How many operational staff is your service 'over establishment'?*
3. *How many operational colleagues can retire (and/or reach 30 years of service) from now until October 2023*

**Response:**

Please see my response to each of your queries in turn below:

*Is your service paying Immediate Detriment on Firefighters Pensions?*

We recently published two FOI responses in relation to the treatment of immediate detriment cases on our website which will provide the information you have requested:

[https://www.london-fire.gov.uk/media/6422/63031\\_foi-response\\_updated.pdf](https://www.london-fire.gov.uk/media/6422/63031_foi-response_updated.pdf)

[https://www.london-fire.gov.uk/media/6718/63031\\_response-part-2-of-2.pdf](https://www.london-fire.gov.uk/media/6718/63031_response-part-2-of-2.pdf)

*How many operational staff is your service 'over establishment'?*

We are not currently over-establishment.

*How many operational colleagues can retire (and/or reach 30 years of service) from now until October 2023*

The LFB have staff that can retire from 25 years of service as well as 30 years. There are 408 individuals who will reach the minimum of 25 years of service (and be the correct age) in order to retire by 31/10/22.

We have dealt with your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. For more information about this process please see the guidance we publish about making a request [on our website](#).