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## Request:

I would like data/ statistics on generator fires in building, and also if you have any records of fire attended where the power to the building was lost. I would therefore like to formally request if LFB have any data which records:

- 1. Number of fires caused by generators (or UPS batteries).
- 2. Number of fires attended where there has been a grid level power failure.

## Response:

Number of Incidents attended by LFB where the ignition source was either a battery or generator

|                                  | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 |
|----------------------------------|------|------|------|------|
| Number of incidents LFB attended | 156  | 148  | 219  | 133  |

We do not hold the data for Q2, fires where there has been a grid level power failure.

I hope you find the information we have been able to provide of use. Should you have any further questions please do let me know.

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