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Dear [REDACTED]

Freedom of Information Act 2000 – Information request (ref: FOI_17-289)

We have now considered your request of 21 November 2017, as clarified on 22 November for the following information:

How much financial surplus did the University of East Anglia make from its student accommodation in the 2016/17 academic year, please? Could I please request the same information for the previous financial years, please? [Clarified on 22 November to request data for the last 5 financial years.]

What is this money spent on?

The surplus from student accommodation is provided in the table below:

Financial Year	Surplus ¹
2011/12	£834,155
2012/13	£1,170,162
2013/14	£2,544,605
2014/15	£2,060,680
2015/16	£3,811,917
2016/17	£5,843,026

Any surpluses are reinvested back into the future capital investment and long-term maintenance of the residences in order to support the longevity of the provision of accommodation.

We hope this information will meet your requirements, however if you are not satisfied you have the right of appeal. If you wish to appeal, please set out in writing your reasons for appealing and send to the above address. You must appeal within 60 calendar days of the date of this letter. Any appeal received after that date will not be considered nor acknowledged. This policy has been reviewed and approved by the Information Commissioner's Office.

¹ Please note that expenditures include only maintenance costs, depreciation costs and loan costs

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Yours sincerely

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