

|   | <b>Category</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | <b>Qualifications</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
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| 1 | Information relating to any individual.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| 2 | Information which is likely to reveal the identity of an individual.                                                                                                                                                                                                                |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| 3 | Information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information).                                                                                                                                              | Information falling within this paragraph is not exempt information by virtue of this paragraph if it is required to be registered under:<br>(a) the Companies Act 1985<br>(b) the Friendly Societies Act 1974<br>(c) the Friendly Societies Act 1992<br>(d) the Industrial and Provident Societies Act 1965 to 1978<br>(e) the Building Societies Act 1986; or<br>(f) the Charities Act 1993. |
| 4 | Information relating to any consultations or negotiations, or contemplated consultations or negotiations, in connection with any labour matters relations matter arising between the authority or a Minister of the Crown and employees of, or office holders under, the authority. |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| 5 | Information in respect of which a claim for legal professional privilege could be maintained in legal proceedings.                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| 6 | Information which reveals that the authority proposes:<br>(a) to give any enactment under or by virtue of which requirements are imposed on a person; or<br>(b) to make an order or direction under any enactment.                                                                  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| 7 | Information relating to any action taken or to be taken in connection with the prevention, investigation or prosecution of crime.                                                                                                                                                   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |

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| 8 |                 | Information is not exempt information if it relates to proposed development for which the local planning authority may grant itself planning permission pursuant to regulation 3 of the Town and Country Planning General Regulations 1992. |

Information which falls within any of sections 1 to 7 above; and is not prevented from being exempt by virtue of the qualification in section 8 or the qualification to section 3 is exempt information if, and so long as, in all the circumstances of the case, the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information.