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Please provide information on penalty charge notices (PCN) that where issued between May 2017 and May 2022 in relation to vehicles parked in Lorne Street, Edinburgh between the top of Lorne Street (at the junction with Leith Walk) and Lorne Place. Please only include tickets issued for parking validations that occurred on the side of Lorne Street that is opposite the school.

Please break down this information by year and type of offence and indicate which of these PNCs were challenged and on what grounds. Please indicate too which of these challenges were upheld.

Unfortunately, we do not hold the data in the manner requested. We hold data on Penalty Charge Notices (PCNs) on a Street-by-Street basis, rather than in a section of street or exact location, for example between numbers 4 and 14.

The attached document provides the numbers of parking tickets issued in Lorne Street, it notes the contravention codes and tickets issued under each of the contraventions, arranged by year and month from May 2017 to May 2022.

We are only able to filter out what side of a street or an exact location a parking ticket was issued at by looking at each of the PCNs individually. There were 1,234 tickets issued in Lorne Street for the period between May 2017 and May 2022, it would take in excess of 40 hours to provide the data requested.

From the PCNs issued in Lorne Street during the period concerned, we have identified that formal representations were made against 50 of the PCNs. From this number, we have ascertained that 22 were issued to vehicles parked on the north side of Lorne Street between Leith Walk and Lorne Place. Furthermore, of these 22 PCNs, 17 representations were rejected but five were accepted and the PCNs were cancelled.

One PCN was appealed with the Independent Adjudicator and the Independent Adjudicator found in favour of the Council. The basis for each of the challenges was, 'Contravention did not occur".