COMPLAINTS REPORTING AND LESSONS LEARNED – LSHA 2023

Complaints from 1/10/2023 (third quarter of 2023-2024 financial year)

Refers To	STAGE	Within target (5 working days)	Result	Learning outcome	Status
Property	STAGE 1	Closed in 5 days	Not upheld	Attempt to communicate any recharge invoices as soon as practically possible after change of tenancy works are complete, and as far as possible give accurate estimations of these charges according to market conditions at the time for them to make informed decisions about seeking own contractors and organising this themselves or instructing LSHA to complete. Explain to tenants that estimates may change, as it will depend on how long the job takes (if hourly rates) - which might only be known when the contractor visits the property to actually complete the work. If possible, invoices to be dated with breakdown of costs for tenants to understand the type and amount of work completed.	Unresolved

Complaints from 1/07/2023 (second quarter of 2023-2024 financial year)

		Within target			
Refers To	STAGE	(5 working days)	Result	Learning Outcome	Status
				Encourage pet owners to be considerate to other neighbours;	
				proactive suggestions if need to leave animals unattended for	
				long periods of time - good training, relaxation techniques,	
				day-care or supervision and tools/techniques to minimise	
Account	STAGE 1	Closed in 20 days (+15)	N/A	reactivity and barking for other residents.	Resolved
				Attempts to educate and inform tenants about decision-	
				making processes with design and development of new builds	
				could be useful in future and to ensure that future	
				developments take into consideration the feedback from this	
				complaint on number and layout of parking spaces per	
Property	STAGE 1	Closed in 5 days	Not upheld	household.	Unresolved

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				Close liaison with contractors to ensure working hours are not causing disruption to residents who live in close proximity to site and that this is communicated as early as possible with all parties. Where possible, ensure road conditions are suitable for domestic use as to minimise impact on residents' cars		
Contractor	STAGE 1	Closed in 4 days	Not upheld	while development is ongoing.	Resolved	i

Complaints from 01/04/2023 – 30/06/2023 (first quarter of 2023-2024 financial year)

		Within target			
Refers To	STAGE	(5 working days)	Result	Learning Outcome	Status
				Parking compliance with regulations needs to be considered	
				as a minimum and LSHA should aspire to exceed this where it	
				is within budget and possible to do so; as number of spaces	
				allocated to flats/houses must be fair and equal as much as	
Property	STAGE 1	Closed in 8 days (+3)	Part upheld	possible.	Resolved
				The biomass system was not down the whole weekend, and	
				repairs were being worked on to resolve the issue but our	
				communication to update tenants could have been better. We	
				have since reviewed the procedures for emergency response and	
				keeping tenants informed. The Senior Management team met to	
Property	STAGE 1	Closed in 10 days (+5)	Part Upheld	discuss and agree actions to minimise further risk.	Resolved

Complaints from 01/01/2023 – 31/03/2023 (last quarter of 2022-2023 financial year)

		Within target			
Refers To	STAGE	(20 working days)	Result	Learning Outcome	Status
				Handover procedures between contractors/Development to	
				be reviewed; MVHR system viability to be reviewed; audit-trail	
				of defects reporting and recording to be reviewed; snagging	
				process to be reviewed. Full notes on complaints reflection	Unresolved -
				and learning complied by senior managers including Chief	pending still w
	STAGE 2 -	Outwith target. Date		Executive, Tenant Engagement & Support, Property Service	contractor
Property	OPEN	notified 23/02/23	Will be Upheld	Officers, Technical Manager and Legal Service Manager.	completing works















