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Subject: Freedom of Information request - Revised electoral wards for Bournemouth, Christchurch and Poole - submissions and consultation responses from 2018
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Dear Local Government Boundary Commission for England,

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If the latter is too tall an order - and I accept there were c. 600 submissions - then I'd be content to receive the submissions from the six political groups and forty-odd borough councillors listed on pages 36-37 of the said report.

Many thanks in advance for your help.

Yours sincerely,

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Dear [REDACTED]

FOI Ref: 87748/23

Thank you for your request for information dated 4 November 2023, under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

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In response, the reason you were not able to access the submissions from our current website is that it has recently been refreshed and remodelled. Our old website page with all the submissions received is still accessible at the bottom of the web page you searched by clicking the link to previous reviews.. For ease, I attach a link to the relevant page on the National Archives website. Here you can view all of the submissions we received during the review:

<https://webarchive.nationalarchives.gov.uk/ukgwa/20221201173352/https://www.lgbce.org.uk/all-reviews/south-west/dorset/bournemouth-christchurch-and-poole>

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