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Dyddiad/ Date: 1 April 2016

Dear ,

ATISN 10261, ATISN 10262 & ATISN 10263 – Requests for Recorded Information

Thank you for your requests for information which I received on 2 March 2016. You asked:

ATISN 10261

- 1. Can you provide me with a table showing the number of registered Farm Businesses in each of the 22 Unitary Authorities in Wales?*
- 2. Can you provide me with a table showing the number of registered Farm Businesses that have received its (Part) 80% Single Farm Payments under the Basic Payments Scheme in each of the 22 Unitary Authorities in Wales?*
- 3. Can you provide me with a table showing the number of registered Farm Businesses that were sent an update on progress in January 2016 under the Basic Payments Scheme in each of the 22 Unitary Authorities in Wales?*
- 4. Can you provide me with a table showing the number of registered Farm Businesses that will receive its (Remaining) 20% Single Farm Payments by April 2016 under the Basic Payments Scheme in each of the 22 Unitary Authorities in Wales?*

Please see Annex 1 for the information requested in questions 1 to 3. No information is held regarding question 4.

ATISN 10262

- 1. Can you tell me the total amount of finance that is available in the Glastir budget and for each of the Glastir Schemes?*
- 2. Can you provide me with a table showing the number of Farm Businesses in each of the 22 Unitary Authorities in Wales that participate in each of the Glastir Advanced, Glastir Commons, Glastir Efficiency Grants, Glastir Entry, Glastir Organic, and Glastir Woodland Schemes since their introduction?*
- 3. Can you provide me with a table showing the number of Farm Businesses in each of the 22 Unitary Authorities in Wales that have been refused participation in each of the Glastir Advanced, Glastir Commons, Glastir Efficiency Grants, Glastir Entry, Glastir Organic, and Glastir Woodland Schemes since their introduction?*

Please see Annex 2 for the information requested in questions 1 to 3.

ATISN 10263

1. *Can you tell me how much Wales receives (monetary) under the Common Agricultural Policy since it was established?*
2. *Can you tell me the amount of monetary distribution between pillar 1 and pillar 2 of the Common Agricultural Policy since it was established for registered Farm Businesses in each of the 22 Unitary Authorities in Wales?*
3. *Can you tell the amount of monetary and percentage reduction in the Common Agricultural Policy budget for Wales since it was established?*
4. *Can you tell the amount of monetary and percentage reduction in the Common Agricultural Policy budget for registered Farm Businesses in each of the 22 Unitary Authorities in Wales?*

Information on Common Agricultural Policy Funding since the establishment in Wales (i.e. since 1973) is not held.

If you are dissatisfied with the Welsh Government's handling of your request, you can ask for an internal review within 40 working days of the date of this response. Requests for an internal review should be addressed to the Welsh Government's Freedom of Information Officer at:

Information Rights Unit,
Welsh Government,
Cathays Park,
Cardiff,
CF10 3NQ

or Email: FreedomOfInformationOfficer@wales.gsi.gov.uk

Please remember to quote the ATISN reference number above.

You also have the right to complain to the Information Commissioner. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF

However, please note that the Commissioner will not normally investigate a complaint until it has been through our own internal review process.

Yours sincerely,

Annex 1 - ATISN 10261

Unitary Authority	1. Number of Eligible Applications Received	2. Number of Eligible Applications Paid	3. Customers who received letter
Blaenau Gwent	43	35	14
Bridgend	126	118	18
Caerphilly	165	158	28
Cardiff	20	18	4
Carmarthenshire	2,462	2,403	401
Ceredigion	1,536	1,447	306
Conwy	791	739	153
Denbighshire	636	591	133
Flintshire	380	352	72
Glamorgan	195	183	41
Gwynedd	1,562	1,473	316
Merthyr Tydfil	46	43	9
Monmouthshire	772	700	180
Neath Port Talbot	132	125	32
Newport	93	87	22
Pembrokeshire	1,368	1,316	245
Powys	3,375	3,057	762
Rhonda Cynon Taff	171	151	46
Swansea	219	211	83
Torfaen	79	73	15
Wrexham	353	290	115
Ynys Mon	736	683	150
Not Determined	292	229	157
Totals	Number of Eligible Applications Received	Number of Eligible Applications Paid	Customers who received letter
	15,552	14,482	3,302

Annex 2 - ATISN 10262

1. Glastir budgets are reviewed annually, the total Glastir Budget for the 2007 to 2013 programme (i.e. payment made in the 2012 to 2015 Calendar years) was as follows:

Glastir Entry (GE) – £34,770,948.17

Glastir Advanced (GA) – £18,516,677.01

Glastir Commons (GC) – £11,989,798.36

Glastir Efficiency Grants (GEG) - £7,019,150.12

Glastir Organic (GO) – 2014-2020 Programme Only

Glastir Woodland Creation (GWC) – £7,211,978.52

Glastir Woodland Restoration (GWR) – 2014-2020 Programme Only

Glastir Woodland Management (GWM) – £1,942,524.16

Unitary Authority	2. Farm businesses participating in GE	2. Farm businesses participating in GA	3. Farm Business refused GA	2. Farm businesses participating in GC	2. Farm businesses participating in GEG	2. Farm businesses participating in GO	2. Farm businesses participating in GWC	2. Farm businesses participating in GWR	2. Farm businesses participating in GWM
Blaenau Gwent	12	7	3	4	0	0	0	0	1
Bridgend	33	16	3	1	1	0	0	0	3
Caerphilly	47	9	20	3	0	1	0	0	0
Cardiff	3	1	2	1	0	1	0	0	1
Carmarthenshire	607	119	253	9	51	50	8	0	45
Ceredigion	406	167	97	9	32	58	1	0	6
Conwy	257	84	87	9	23	12	1	0	10
Denbighshire	170	39	62	1	14	13	3	0	6
Flintshire	65	29	13	0	5	4	1	0	4
Glamorgan	39	13	11	7	0	6	0	0	0

Gwynedd	682	374	97	39	33	73	2	0	27
Merthyr Tydfil	12	2	3	0	0	2	1	0	1
Monmouthshire	181	68	31	2	7	22	3	0	16
Neath Port Talbot	50	13	18	3	2	1	0	0	3
Newport	15	7	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
Pembrokeshire	236	71	78	3	8	31	3	0	16
Powys	1,353	342	421	48	85	105	14	5	46
Rhondda Cynon Taff	65	24	16	3	1	0	0	0	1
Swansea	52	29	11	8	0	4	0	0	5
Torfaen	18	5	8	1	0	0	0	0	1
Wrexham	90	30	30	3	6	10	1	1	4
Ynys Mon	99	42	9	1	5	7	0	0	4
Not Determined	126	97	215	43	2	164	9	37	63
Totals									
	4,618	1,588	1,489	198	275	565	47	43	263

*Please note that information for farmers refused participation is only available for Glastir Advanced. Refused figures exclude ineligible or withdrawn applications.