Adran yr Economi, a'r Seilwaith Department for Economy and Infrastructure

Eich cyf/Your ref Ein cyf/Our ref ATISN 10466



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Dear.

Request for Information – ATISN 10466

I wrote to you on 27 May regarding your request for information. You asked for information relating to Broadband Figures. Specifically:

- 1. What percentage of properties included in the 'household and commercial premised enabled calculations' are currently <u>unable</u> to receive superfast fibre due to distance from the cabinet or exchange?
- 2. What percentages of properties included in the 'household and commercial premised enabled calculations' <u>are not achieving faster speeds</u> than they were previously receiving on standard broadband prior to the cabinet or exchange being enabled?
- 3. How the household and commercial premised enabled calculation is obtained i.e. is it based on the number of properties connected to fibre enabled cabinet, rather than based on actual achieved results.
- 4. What percentage of properties in Wales which are currently under evaluation for FTTP (Fibre to the Premises), broken down by county?
- 5. The percentage of properties in Wales, which currently have no plan in place for fibre rollout under Superfast Cymru, broken down by county?

I can confirm we hold some information relating to your request; no premises included in the 'household and commercial premises enabled calculations' are currently unable to receive superfast fibre due to the distance from the cabinet or exchange.

We do not hold information on speeds for premises which were previously receiving standard broadband prior to cabinet or exchange being enabled.



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We welcome receiving correspondence in Welsh. Any correspondence received in Welsh will be answered in Welsh and corresponding in Welsh will not lead to a delay in responding.

The calculation is obtained by using the number of premises that have been provided with access to superfast broadband (and have been tested and verified as capable of receiving at least 24Mbps) as a result of the Superfast Cymru project in the exchange area as a proportion of the total number of premises in the Superfast Cymru intervention within the exchange area.

We do not hold information about the percentage of premises currently under evaluation, (this is held by British Telecom (BT)); nor do we hold information about properties in Wales with no plan in place for fibre roll-out under Superfast Cymru broken down by county.

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 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