



Our Ref: ATISN 10687

Date: 21 November 2016

Dear ,

ATISN 10687: Newspapers in Welsh Government Offices 2015/16

Thank you for your request, made on behalf of Andrew RT Davies AM, which I received on 23 August. Please accept my apologies for the delay in responding to your request. You asked for:

1. The amount of money spent on newspapers in 2015/16 in Welsh Government offices.
2. A breakdown and full list of all newspapers and magazines purchased for Welsh Government offices in 2015/16.
3. A breakdown and full list of all newspapers purchased for use in the First Minister's Office in 2015/16.

The information you requested is enclosed at Annex 1 of this letter.

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.

The request you sent me contains personal information about you - for example, your name and address. I will only use this personal information in accordance with the Data Protection Act 1998 to deal with your request and any matters which arise as a result of it. I will keep your personal information and all other information relating to your request for three years from the date on which your request is finally closed. Your personal information will then be disposed of securely.

Any information released under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 or Environmental Information Regulations 2004 will be listed in the Welsh Government's Disclosure Log (at <http://wales.gov.uk/about/foi/responses/?lang=en>).

Yours sincerely,

Marlize Palmer
Library and Archive Services / Y Gwasanaethau Llyfrgell ac Archifau
Health and Social Services Group / Y Grŵp Iechyd a Gwasanaethau Cymdeithasol
Welsh Government / Llywodraeth Cymru

1. The amount of money spent on newspapers in 2015/16 in Welsh Government offices.

The total expenditure by the Library Service on newspapers in 2015/16 for Welsh Government offices was £23,072.

2. A breakdown and full list of all newspapers and magazines purchased for Welsh Government offices in 2015/16.

Newspapers

Daily Newspaper (Monday to Friday)	No. of Copies
Daily Post	1
Echo	9
Express	1
Financial Times	8
Guardian	4
I (shortened version of the Independent newspaper)	2
Independent	3
Mail	1
Mirror	2
South Wales Argus	3
Sun	1
Telegraph	3
Times	5
Western Mail	29

Weekly Newspaper	No. of Copies
Daily Post (Saturday)	1
Echo (Saturday)	2
Holyhead and Anglesey Mail	1
Observer	1
Scotland on Sunday	1
Sunday Independent	1
Sunday Telegraph	1
Sunday Times	1
Times Educational Supplement	8
Times Higher Educational Supplement	7
Wales on Sunday	1



Magazines/Periodicals

Title of Magazine/Periodical	No. of Copies
Barn	1
Chemist and Druggist	1
Coach and Bus Journal	1
Construction News	1
Economist	6
Ends Report	1
Estates Gazette	2
European State Aid Law Quarterly	1
Evidence and Policy Journal	1
Family Law	1
Farmers Guardian	1
Farmers Weekly	3
Fishing News	1
Golwg	3
Harvard Business Review	1
Health Service Journal	1
Journal of Environmental Law	1
Legal Action	1
Lingo Newydd	2
Local Government Chronicle	2
Local Transport Today	1
Municipal Journal	1
National Institute Economic Review	1
New Scientist	2
People Management	1
Planning	1
Property Week Journal	1
Public Finance	1
Public Law Journal	1
Regional Studies Association	1
Social Housing	1
Statute Law Review	1
Web Designer	1
Welsh Farmer	2
Y Cymro	3



3. A breakdown and full list of all newspapers purchased for use in the First Minister's Office in 2015/16.

Daily Newspaper (Monday to Friday)	No. of Copies
Echo	2
Financial Times	1
Guardian	1
Times	1
Western Mail	2