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Ein cyf/Our ref: **ATISN 19520**

Dyddiad/Date: **23 May 2024**

Dear ,

ATISN 19520 – Request for Information.

I refer to the emails of 26 April and 20 May 2024 requesting the following information:

- How many penalties have been handed out on the Glastir Small Grants programme for 2022, 2023 and 2024?
- How many penalties have been handed out on the Glastir Woodland Creation scheme for 2022, 2023 and 2024?
- How many Stage 1 and Stage 2 appeals occurred for the Glastir Small Grants programme?
- How many Stage 1 and Stage 2 appeals occurred for the Glastir Woodland Creation scheme?
- What is the average length of time taken between each stage of the appeals process (Stage 1 and Stage 2)?
- What is the shortest and longest times between each stage of the appeal process (Stage 1 and Stage 2)?

Our response

Please see Annex A for the information you requested.

Next steps

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:

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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

Glastir Woodland Creation and Glastir Small Grants Scheme

Penalties for the scheme years specified:

Scheme	Year			Total
	2022	2023	2024	
Glastir Woodland Creation	22	10	0	32
Glastir Small Grants	5	0	0	5

Stage 1 Appeals, throughout the programme period:

Scheme	Total	Time taken to respond (in days)		
		Average	Longest	Shortest
Glastir Woodland Creation	16	82	266	10
Glastir Small Grants	31	99	274	6

Stage 2 Appeals, throughout the programme period:

Scheme	Total	Time taken to respond (in days)		
		Average	Longest	Shortest
Glastir Woodland Creation	3	364	762	161
Glastir Small Grants	9	788	1243	35