



Mr. Eamon Feeney
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Date: 7 November 2017

Dear Mr. Feeney,

Freedom of Information Act 2000

I refer to your email dated 24 October 2017 in which you requested the following information;

"A breakdown of new build houses allocated to applicants by age gender and marital status and number of dependents in the Londonderry area"

I am writing to confirm that the Housing Executive has processed your request as a request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 and would respond as follows;

1). A breakdown of new build houses allocated to applicants by age gender and marital status and number of dependents in the Londonderry area

A breakdown of new build houses allocated to applicants by age gender and marital status and number of dependents in the Londonderry area has been provided below, please see attached ***Appendix 1***.

If you feel that the information we have provided does not fully meet your request, you have the right to request a formal review by the Housing Executive within two calendar months of the date of this letter. If you wish to do so, please write to:


The Access to Information Manager
Corporate Communications
6th Floor
The Housing Centre
2 Adelaide Street
Belfast
BT2 8PB

Alternatively, you can email the FOI Team at records@nihe.gov.uk.

If after such an internal review you are still dissatisfied with the response, you have the right to appeal to the Information Commissioner at Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire SK9 5AF, who will undertake an independent review.

If you have any queries about this letter, please contact me at the telephone number or e-mail address above.

Yours Sincerely


Michael Conway
Acting Assistant Director
Housing Services

Appendix 1

System records covering allocations from the Common Waiting List show that a total of 175 New Build properties were allocated within the Derry & Strabane Local Council area to Housing Applicants during the 2016-17 financial year. The tables below reflect the age, gender, marital status and household composition of those applicants housed.

Table 1: Number of allocations by Applicant Age Band

Age Band	Total No
<20 Years old	<10
20-29 Years Old	61
30-39 Yrs Old	46
40-49 Yrs Old	21
50-59 Yrs Old	26
60-69 Yrs Old	13
70+ Yrs Old	<10
Grand Total	175

Table 2: Number of allocations by Applicant gender (Please Note: This is the Main Applicant/Head of Household which is registered on any Application)

Gender	Total No
Male	50
Female	125
Grand Total	175

Table 3: Number of allocations by Applicant marital Status

Marital Status	Total No
Civil Partner Separated	<10
Divorced	<10
Married	22
Separated	12
Single	85
Unknown	49
Widow/widower	<10
Grand Total	175

Table 4: Number of allocations by applicant Household Composition

Household Comp	Total No
Single Female 26-59	15
1 parent 3 children	<10
1 parent 2 children	25
1 parent 1child	38
Single male 18-25	<10
2 adults 3 children	<10
Single Male 26-59	23
2 adults 1 child	11
2 adults either 60+	<10
Single Female 18-25	14
Male 60+	<10
Female 60+	<10
2 adults 2 children	<10
2 adults 18-59	<10
1 parent >= 4children	<10
>=3 adults 0-1 children	<10
Single Male 16-17	<10
2 adults . = 4 children	<10
HW either 60+	<10
Grand Total	175