

27 March 2012

Mr T Claydon

Our Ref: F0005658

Dear Mr Claydon,

Thank you for your e-mail of 29 February 2012, to the Department for Communities and Local Government requesting

“....up to date figures for the following, but this time also include how many are not currently practising:

- 1. Home Inspectors (Active / Not currently practising)*
- 2. Domestic Energy Assessors (Active / Not currently practising)*
- 3. NDEA - level 3 (Active / Not currently practising)*
- 4. NDEA - level 4 (Active / Not currently practising)*
- 5. NDEA - level 5 (Active / Not currently practising))”.*

Thank you for the clarification of this request received on 16 March 2012.

Your request has been considered under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

I can confirm that Communities and Local Government does hold some of the information that you have requested and that I am able to provide you with the following information. We can provide the number of qualified energy assessors by the status of their accreditation and the type of energy assessor. We will provide this in the text of this letter. I should caution on the accuracy of this information as the Department for Communities and Local Government relies on this information being submitted by Accreditation Schemes and cannot confirm its completeness or accuracy.

Total Number of Domestic Energy Assessors by Status as of 20/03/2012**HCR Qualified**

Inactive	Registered	Suspended	Total
289	621	20	930

RdSAP Qualified

Inactive	Registered	Struck-off	Suspended	Total
11,186	10,537	219	1,097	23,039

SAP EPC Qualified

Inactive	Registered	Struck-off	Suspended	Total
463	1,466	1	48	1,978

Total Number of Non Domestic Energy Assessors on 20/03/2012

Assessors accredited to produce Display Energy Certificates (DEC)

Inactive	Registered	Struck-off	Suspended	Total
549	1,418	11	46	2,024

Assessors accredited to produce Level 3 Energy Performance Certificates (NOS3)

Inactive	Registered	Struck-off	Suspended	Total
1,590	3,681	64	255	5,590

Assessors accredited to produce Level 4 Energy Performance Certificates (NOS4)

Inactive	Registered	Struck-off	Suspended	Total
941	2,365	36	157	3,499

Assessors accredited to produce Level 5 Energy Performance Certificates (NOS5)

Inactive	Registered	Struck-off	Suspended	Total
88	291	1	11	391

Assessors who are qualified at Air Conditioning Simple Packaged (Level 3) (SP3)

Inactive	Registered	Suspended	Total
134	787	11	932

Assessors who are qualified at Air Conditioning Complexed Central (Level 4) (CC4)

Inactive	Registered	Suspended	Total
124	642	10	776

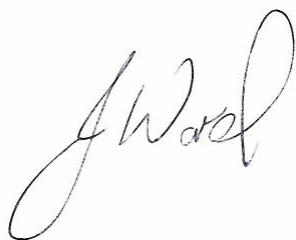
The Department for Communities and Local Government as an organisation aims to be as helpful as possible in the way it deals with requests for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 and the Environmental Information Regulations 2004. If, however, you are not satisfied with the way in which your request has been handled or the outcome, you may request an internal review within two calendar months of the date of this letter. Information about the Department's review procedures and how to apply for an internal review of your case is contained on the Department's website at <http://www.communities.gov.uk/documents/corporate/pdf/1384250.pdf>. This also explains your right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision in the event that you remain dissatisfied following the Department's review.

Generally, the ICO cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted this Department's Internal Review procedure. The Information Commissioner's address and contact details are set out in the above leaflet.

If you have any queries about this letter, please contact me. Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

I hope you will find this useful.

Yours sincerely,



Jason Ward