

PBNI FOI Disclosure log – Response to Request

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Request

Under the Freedom of Information Act I would like to request the following information about the issuance of contracts:

1. Could you please provide me with the total number of contracts put out for tender by your organisation during the following two periods:

(a) January 1, 2010 - December 31, 2010 (or the nearest available 12-month period – please specify); and

(b) January 1, 2013 - December 31, 2013 (or the nearest available 12-month period – please specify)

2. For each of these two periods, please state how many of these contracts were awarded after a tendering process in which only one contractor submitted a bid.

Response

Please find below the response to your request:

Q1 (a) January 1, 2010 - December 31, 2010: 1 contract was tendered
Q2 more than one contractor submitted a bid.

Q1 (b) January 1, 2013 - December 31, 2013: 8 contracts were tendered
Q2 In 1 out of the 8 contracts only one contractor submitted a bid and this was awarded. In 7 out of the 8 contracts, more than one contractor submitted a bid

If you have any queries about this letter, or if you feel I have misinterpreted your request please contact me. Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

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The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office,
Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.

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