

Information Released under Freedom of Information Act

Subject: Request for statistics relating to Contracts and Tenders with only one bid

Date Released: 23 September 2014

Summary of request: The enquirer requested for statistics relating to Contracts and Tenders with only one bid

Information released

Under the Freedom of Information Act you asked for the following information:

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.

Please note that Companies House records information concerning contracts in financial years and not calendar years.

For the period April 2010 to March 2011

9 formal tender exercises were carried out.

Of these, no contracts were awarded where only one bid was received.

For the period April 2013 to March 2014

8 formal tender exercises were carried out.

Of these, no contracts were awarded where only one bid was received.