

## **Procurement: Disclosure of Non-Compliance**

***Further to the Government's Procurement Policy Note: Measures to Promote Tax Compliance (Action Note 06/13), I would like to know how many Occasions of Non-Compliance have been disclosed to DIFD by businesses applying for public sector contracts from your department. I am interested in finding out:***

***A. The number of businesses that have disclosed any tax avoidance practices in the process of their tendering for a contract from DIFD following the Government's Procurement Policy Note: Measures to Promote Tax Compliance?***

***B. In how many cases has the disclosure of any tax avoidance by businesses resulted in a decision to exclude the business from the procurement process? Please provide this information from the 1st April 2013 to 28th February 2014.***

From 1 April 2013 to 28 February 2014 there were no occasions where businesses applying for DFID contracts disclosed tax avoidance practices.