

Information Released under Freedom of Information Act

Subject: Statistics on the approximate percentage of dissolutions each month

Date Released: 13 March 2015

Summary of request: The enquirer requested statistics on the approximate percentage of dissolutions each month

Information Released

- a) The average amount of companies dissolved by Companies House when the company is not carrying on business or not in operation is approximately 42.8%
- b) The average amount of voluntary dissolutions using form DS01 approximately is 49.6%
- c) Other types of dissolution (eg companies dissolved after ending liquidation) is approximately 7.7%.

These figures are based on the average of the percentages for the period April 2014 to January 2015 for United Kingdom companies.