



Our Reference:

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Dear

**Request for Information**

Thank you for your letter addressed to the Housing Corporation (HC) dated 24 May 2015 requesting a list of Housing Associations. For clarity the on 1 December 2008 the Housing Corporation (HC) ceased to function and its investment role formed part of the Homes and Communities Agency (HCA) as decreed by the Housing Regeneration Act 2008. On the same date the regulatory role of HC formed the Tenants Services Authority (TSA). However in April 2012 that regulatory role was transferred into the HCA's responsibilities, resulting in the closure of TSA.

Your request was received by the HCA on 29 May 2015 and we are writing to communicate our response.

To provide you with some background the HCA is the national housing and regeneration agency for England and Wales as well as the Social Housing Regulator. The information held by HCA is only that which we need for the purposes of meeting our organisational, statutory and regulatory objectives. We do not hold information for the areas of the UK outside England and Wales, and we only hold information of housing associations that are registered as providers of social housing (known as Registered Providers (RPs)).

Therefore we are able to provide you with a full list of RPs, some of which will be Housing Associations as per your request; however others will be private RPs, Co-operatives or other types of RPs. Accompanying this letter is a spreadsheet which has RPs names, addresses and RP number. This information is published and can be found on our website at the following address:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/current-registered-providers-of-social-housing>

If you have any questions regarding this response or any further queries you can contact us at the following addresses and quote your unique reference number found at the top of this letter:

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If you are unhappy with the way Homes and Communities Agency has handled your request you may ask for an internal review. You should contact

Head of Legal Services  
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If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at

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Yours sincerely

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