



Our Reference:

BY EMAIL ONLY

9 December 2015

Dear

Request for Information

Thank you for your email dated 23 November requesting information on de-registrations of Housing Associations. For ease of reference your request is below.

I write to request information under the Freedom of Information Act concerning Housing Associations and the de-registering of Housing Associations.

For 2015:

- 1. a) Please provide a list of all Housing Associations de-registered.*
- b) Please provide the reasons given for each one being de-registered*

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 who have de-registered in 2015 and the reasons why in a spread sheet that accompanies this letter. As mentioned above some of the RPs listed will be Housing Associations as per your request; however others will be private RPs, Co-operatives or other types of RPs.

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:

Email: mail@homesandcommunities.co.uk

Mail: Information Access Officer
Homes and Communities Agency

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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

Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire
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Online: <https://ico.org.uk/concerns/getting/>

Yours sincerely

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