



Our Reference:

BY EMAIL ONLY

1 December 2016

Dear

Request for Information

Thank you for your email dated 3 November 2016 requesting information on Help to Buy Agents. For ease of reference your request is below:

“Can you let me know the housing associations/Agents involved in Help to Buy over the last 5 years and the north London, and SL postcode areas.”

We have now had an opportunity to investigate your request and are writing to communicate our response. You have requested the names of the Help to Buy Agents for North London and the SL postcode area for the previous five years. The Help to Buy scheme was launched in 2013 and as a result we only hold information from that date.

For Help to Buy London, from April 2013 – March 2014 the Agent was Metropolitan Housing Group. From April 2014 to the present day, the Agent is Aldwyck Housing Group.

SL Postcode areas fall within the Help to Buy South (for Berkshire) area and the Help to Buy East South East (for Buckinghamshire) area. The Agent for Help to Buy South (Berkshire) from April 2013 – March 2014 was Catalyst Housing. From April 2014 to the present day, this Agent is Radian Group. The Agent for Help to Buy East South East (Buckinghamshire) from April 2013 – March 2014 was Catalyst Housing, and from April 2014 to the present day the Agent is bpha.

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

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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

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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
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Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire
SK9 5AF
Online: <https://ico.org.uk/concerns/getting/>

Yours sincerely

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