



Homes
England

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By Email Only

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Dear ██████████

RE: Request for Information – RFI3274

Thank you for your request for information which was processed in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA).

You requested the following information:

I have a query with respect to the Help-to-Buy: Equity Loan Statistics. I am trying to get data on the number of redemptions (both full and partial) that has occurred since the start of the scheme. Ideally, I would like to see redemption data in relation to year of origination.

Response

We can inform you that we do hold the information that you have requested. However, we rely on section 21, exemption where information is available to the applicant elsewhere.

The full text of the legislation can be found on the following link:

<https://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukpga/2000/36/section/21>

Advice and Assistance

We have a duty to provide advice and assistance in accordance with Section 16 of the FOIA. We can confirm that there is redemption data available on page 36 of the following report:

https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/934957/Homes_England_Annual_Report_2019_20_05_11_20.pdf

Right to Appeal

If you are not happy with the information that has been provided or the way in which your request has been handled you may request an internal review by writing to;

The Information Governance Team

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You may also complain to the Information Commissioner however, the Information Commissioner does usually expect the internal review procedure to be exhausted in the first instance.

The Information Commissioner's details can be found via the following link

<https://ico.org.uk/>

Please note that the contents of your request and this response are also subject to the Freedom of Information Act 2000. Homes England may be required to disclose your request and our response accordingly.

Yours sincerely,
The Information Governance Team
For Homes England

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