Appendix 2

Number of farms for which new licences were issued for emergency release of non-native subspecies of bumblebee (Bombus terrestris) in commercial glass-houses for crop pollination from 2016 – 2020

Year	Number of farms	County
2016	3	Worcester
2017	0	
2018	1	Sussex
2019	9	Isle of Wight, Essex, East Yorkshire, Teeside, Worcestershire, Cheshire
2020	1	East Yorkshire

We have only received one annual report which indicated that 4 colonies of non-native bumblebee were imported for release into glasshouses during 2019.