

15 August 2023 Our ref: RFI 6653



# **Environmental Information Regulations – Information Request**

We refer to your request for information dated 18 July which we have dealt with under the Environmental Information Regulations 2004 (EIR).

You have asked for the following information in relation to the Farming Equipment and Technology Fund (FETF) grant, Round 2 Animal Health and Welfare:

- A list of all FETF reference numbers, e.g., FETF1, number of applications and successful awards per FETF reference.
- The average points score of successful grant awards.
- The total number of customers who were not successful and their average points score.
- The total value of applications vs the total for successful grant awards.

You requested this data to be broken down by each county.

Please find the information you have requested in the attached annexes.

This information is correct as of 3 August 2023, which is when it was collated. Please also note the information for the approved and rejected projects, or successful and not successful projects, will vary daily until we have issued all funding agreements. Outstanding queries mean that a decision on these applications cannot be confirmed as yet.

- Annex 1 details the number of FETF applications received for each English county.
- Annex 2 details the number of successful FETF applications awarded a grant for each English county.
- Annex 3 details the number of successful applications and their average points score for each English county.
- Annex 4 details the number of unsuccessful applications and their average points score for each English county.
- Annex 5 details the total value of applications for each English county.

 Annex 6 details the total value of successful applications for each English county.

We also attach Annex A below, explaining the copyright that applies to the information being released to you.

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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 by following the link to the Information Commissioner's website here.

They can also be contacted at: The Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.

Please note that generally the Information Commissioner cannot make a decision unless you have first exhausted RPA's own complaints procedure.

## If you need further information

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Yours sincerely

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