

2<sup>nd</sup> February 2024

**Our Ref: FOI 260**

## Request

We received your request on 06 January 2024 for the following information:

*I am putting in for freedom of information request for many foreign nationals that has been housed by the housing executive in the passes 5 years compared the irish/Catholic and British/protestant*

Your request has been handled under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA).

## Our response

The table below provides data on the number of allocations at Northern Ireland level by Nationality for the 5year period 01/10/18 - 30/09/23. The table should be viewed in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

These figures are based on the recorded nationality of applicants only. No inferences should be made about the religion of the applicant based on stated nationality.

<b>Table 1: Number of Allocations to Applicants 01/10/18 - 30/09/23 at N. Ireland Level by Nationality.</b>	
<b>Nationality</b>	<b>No. of Allocations</b>
British	16088
Irish	8473
Northern Irish	2353
Unknown	2525
Refused	48
Other (incl. Mixed)	1656
N. Ireland Total	31143

**Notes:**

- This response is based on the most recently published data.
- Allocations data includes allocations to both Housing Executive and housing association properties.
- Data relates to nationality only and not religious background.
- Other nationalities are nationalities other than British, Irish and Northern Irish.

This concludes our response.