## PROMPT PAYMENT RETURNS BY GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS 2018

Table 1	Quarter 2: April - June 2018				Quarter 1: Jan - March 2018				
GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS	% of overall Total value paid within 15 days	Value of Payments	% No. of payments within 15 days	No. of Payments within 15	% of overall Total value paid within 15 days	Value of Payments within 15 days	% No. of payments within 15 days	No. of Payments within 15 days	
Agriculture, Food and the Marine	85%	€29,601,216	82%	5,127	73%	€16,798,418	80%	5,571	
Business, Enterprise & Innovation	79%	€2,504,873	77%	1,408	76%	€1,643,197	83%	1,212	
Children & Youth Affairs	75%	€2,884,760	74%	379	69%	€1,228,602	75%	383	
Communications, Climate Action and Environment	88%	€5,080,197	87%	1,264	81%	€3,228,435	77%	990	
Culture, Heritage & the Gaeltacht	86%	€8,665,733	68%	2,156	89%	€7,136,754	73%	1,956	
<u>Defence</u>	82%	€35,599,487	92%	8,349	96%	€22,704,343	92%	6,083	
Education & Skills	92%	€96,214,258	73%	2,260	89%	€77,572,358	72%	2,196	
<b>Employment Affairs &amp; Social Protection</b>	66%	€60,049,858	76%	2,617	87%	€67,909,222	77%	2,713	
<u>Finance</u>	94%	€1,552,830	95%	783	79%	€952,354	93%	728	
Foreign Affairs & Trade	80%	€4,975,518	88%	1,594	92%	€6,691,181	84%	1,461	
<u>Health</u>	75%	€1,756,500	86%	711	81%	€1,054,065	91%	547	
Housing, Planning, Community and Local Government	93%	€5,065,798	91%	1,024	91%	€9,617,400	85%	918	
Justice and Equality	85%	€36,783,159	81%	10,173	87%	€28,027,418	86%	8,216	
Public Expenditure and Reform	88%	€3,956,496	91%	739	97%	€1,957,694	93%	582	
Rural and Community Development	89%	€2,331,379	76%	273	77%	€394,398	67%	113	
<u>Taoiseach</u>	79%	€2,326,267	93%	687	92%	€1,998,816	88%	586	
Transport, Tourism and Sport	100%	€466,935,106	97%	2,825	100%	€294,536,982	99%	2,623	
TOTAL		€766,283,435		42,369		€543,451,636		36,878	

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Agriculture, Food and the Marine	100%	€34,897,519	99%	6,183	100%	€23,034,391	98%	6,818	
Business, Enterprise & Innovation	97%	€3,064,358	97%	1,763	93%	€1,995,745	95%	1,400	
Children & Youth Affairs	99%	€3,830,539	99%	503	100%	€1,784,727	100%	509	
Communications, Climate Action and Environment	99%	€5,685,100	98%	1,431	96%	€3,830,428	95%	1,220	
Culture, Heritage & the Gaeltacht	99%	€10,013,307	98%	3,108	99%	€8,018,611	98%	2,624	
<u>Defence</u>	100%	€43,190,493	100%	9,012	100%	€23,742,600	99%	6,556	
Education & Skills	97%	€101,862,845	90%	2,805	98%	€85,104,381	89%	2,728	
<b>Employment Affairs &amp; Social Protection</b>	99%	€90,763,022	93%	3,193	98%	€76,871,009	96%	3,366	
<u>Finance</u>	99%	€1,635,223	99%	817	100%	€1,210,443	100%	779	
Foreign Affairs & Trade	100%	€6,171,259	98%	1,777	98%	€7,137,457	98%	1,700	
<u>Health</u>	98%	€2,286,684	98%	806	99%	€1,279,437	99%	596	
Housing, Planning, Community and Local Government	100%	€5,426,069	99%	1,117	99%	€10,455,690	99%	1,074	
Justice and Equality	99%	€43,095,683	99%	12,475	100%	€31,944,980	99%	9,429	
Public Expenditure and Reform	100%	€4,496,500	99%	802	100%	€2,010,661	99%	622	
Rural and Community Development	99%	€2,577,210	93%	335	99%	€510,815	96%	162	
<u>Taoiseach</u>	100%	€2,933,095	99%	731	100%	€2,159,334	98%	652	
Transport, Tourism and Sport	100%	€467,526,057	100%	2,908	100%	€294,636,889	100%	2,651	
TOTAL		€829,454,962		49,766		€575,727,600	_	42,886	

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