

## PROMPT PAYMENT RETURNS BY GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS 2016

Table 1	Quarter 4: Oct - Dec 2016				Quarter 3: July - Sept 2016			
	% 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	% 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
<b>GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS</b>								
<u>Transport, Tourism and Sport</u>	100%	€789,235,771	99%	3,026	37%	€166,223,852	99%	3,220
<u>Taoiseach</u>	98%	€2,439,323	90%	751	96%	€1,230,728	91%	535
<u>Defence</u>	97%	€88,057,565	95%	9,469	93%	€30,993,010	93%	8,798
<u>Justice and Equality</u>	94%	€52,976,044	85%	9,332	82%	€27,293,072	91%	8,018
<u>Social Protection</u>	94%	€73,183,416	77%	3,154	89%	€68,090,104	75%	2,831
<u>Arts, Heritage, Regional, Rural and Gaeltacht Affairs</u>	93%	€23,385,889	89%	5,373	93%	€11,440,386	81%	2,350
<u>Education and Skills</u>	92%	€106,916,101	71%	1,956	96%	€67,012,293	71%	2,189
<u>Public Expenditure and Reform</u>	92%	€7,765,215	86%	763	95%	€2,343,179	86%	472
<u>Jobs, Enterprise and Innovation</u>	91%	€8,372,063	78%	1,492	75%	€2,610,627	75%	1,213
<u>Finance</u>	87%	€1,813,363	85%	747	85%	€640,655	85%	550
<u>Health</u>	84%	€1,344,835	86%	668	78%	€675,985	92%	458
<u>Housing, Planning, Community and Local Government</u>	83%	€3,902,099	86%	998	84%	€1,526,430	74%	610
<u>Agriculture, Food and the Marine</u>	83%	€59,616,632	83%	6,171	93%	€46,480,164	77%	4,543
<u>Foreign Affairs and Trade</u>	82%	€10,415,572	79%	1,460	77%	€7,640,693	87%	1,460
<u>Children and Youth Affairs</u>	82%	€4,683,008	80%	463	83%	€2,366,802	68%	302
<u>Communications, Climate Action &amp; Environment</u>	72%	€10,658,673	87%	1,272	64%	€2,823,910	77%	831
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>€1,244,765,568</b>		<b>47,095</b>		<b>€439,391,891</b>		<b>38,380</b>

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<b>GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS</b>								
<u>Transport, Tourism and Sport</u>	100%	€789,324,747	100%	3,060	100%	€452,522,319	100%	3,258
<u>Children and Youth Affairs</u>	100%	€5,719,083	99%	576	98%	€2,806,335	96%	429
<u>Defence</u>	100%	€90,634,138	100%	9,987	100%	€33,199,958	100%	9,397
<u>Agriculture, Food and the Marine</u>	100%	€71,618,250	99%	7,426	100%	€49,863,205	99%	5,885
<u>Taoiseach</u>	100%	€2,483,189	99%	834	100%	€1,275,570	100%	588
<u>Health</u>	100%	€1,604,977	99%	772	97%	€843,195	99%	493
<u>Justice and Equality</u>	100%	€55,890,520	99%	10,861	99%	€32,834,930	98%	8,671
<u>Finance</u>	100%	€2,083,980	99%	863	96%	€720,223	99%	643
<u>Arts, Heritage, Regional, Rural and Gaeltacht Affairs</u>	100%	€25,032,301	99%	6,000	99%	€12,260,944	98%	2,867
<u>Foreign Affairs and Trade</u>	99%	€12,573,410	97%	1,799	100%	€9,913,604	98%	1,634
<u>Jobs, Enterprise and Innovation</u>	99%	€9,091,713	96%	1,846	96%	€3,333,561	96%	1,552
<u>Social Protection</u>	99%	€77,344,984	96%	3,905	99%	€75,274,436	95%	3,591
<u>Communications, Climate Action &amp; Environment</u>	99%	€11,938,584	98%	1,433	91%	€4,003,590	95%	1,021
<u>Public Expenditure and Reform</u>	99%	€8,371,049	98%	877	100%	€2,459,309	98%	536
<u>Education and Skills</u>	97%	€113,217,111	92%	2,544	100%	€69,409,560	93%	2,863
<u>Housing, Planning, Community and Local Government</u>	89%	€4,172,188	98%	1,146	99%	€1,797,496	99%	817
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>€1,281,100,224</b>		<b>53,929</b>		<b>€752,518,237</b>		<b>44,245</b>

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