PROMPT PAYMENT RETURNS BY GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS 2012												
Table 1	Quarter 2: April - June 2012				Quarter 1: January - March 2012							
GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS	% 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				
Transport, Tourism and Sport	100%	€382,270,082	98%	3,764		•		3,372				
Children and Youth Affairs	100%	€805,364	100%	269	100%	€315,551	100%	237				
Education & Skills	97%	€189,496,997	75%	2,761	97%	€88,560,428	75%	2,341				
Defence	96%	€31,447,578	93%	9,325	96%	€31,920,887	94%	7,206				
Foreign Affairs and Trade	96%	€4,298,141	91%	1,283	84%	€3,806,466	92%	1,324				
Environment,Community& Local Government	96%	€4,085,979	91%	1,331	94%	€2,047,468	90%	1,265				
<u>Taoiseach</u>	95%	€2,488,204	77%	362	89%	€913,443	77%	276				
Public Expenditure & Reform	93%	€1,323,111	86%	302	85%	€510,582	81%	211				
<u>Health</u>	93%	€1,122,051	97%	511	92%	€855,833	97%	493				
Communications, Energy & Natural Resources	91%	€3,334,132	85%	864	80%	€1,585,975	81%	699				
Finance	90%	€1,282,668	84%	554	83%	€495,031	91%	551				
Agriculture, Food and The Marine	83%	€17,978,607	80%	7,649	79%	€13,153,835	76%	7,590				
Justice and Equality	82%	€25,879,129	62%	4,800	88%	€19,895,583	77%	6,031				
Arts, Heritage & Gaeltacht Affairs	76%	€5,847,269	56%	1,669	90%	€5,515,285	58%	895				
Social Protection	74%	€78,489,815	51%	3,127	41%	€41,017,119	61%	2,997				
Jobs, Enterprise and Innovation	62%	€9,826,015	82%	1,231	95%	€11,327,096	87%	1,360				
TOTAL		€759,975,142		39,802		€543,852,932		36,848				

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Table 2	Quarter 2: April - June 2012				Quarter 1: January - March 2012								
GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS	% of overall Total value paid within 30 days	Value of Payments within 30 days	% No. of payments within 30 days	No. of Payments within 30 days	% of overall Total value paid within 30 days	Value of Payments within 30 days	% No. of payments within 30 days	No. of Payments within 30 days					
Transport, Tourism and Sport	100%	€382,481,808	100%	3,818	100%	€322,213,492	100%	3,407					
Education & Skills	100%	€195,476,123	96%	3,450	100%	€91,288,093	97%	3,030					
Defence	100%	€32,778,490	98%	9,814	99%	€32,796,771	99%	7,601					
Environment,Community & Local Government	100%	€4,228,826	99%	1,443	99%	€2,157,960	98%	1,380					
Children and Youth Affairs	100%	€805,364	100%	269	100%	€315,551	100%	237					
Social Protection	99%	€104,617,609	78%	4,756	93%	€93,735,189	88%	4,314					
Justice and Equality	99%	€31,107,056	97%	7,582	98%	€22,140,172	97%	7,593					
Agriculture, Food and The Marine	99%	€21,332,000	98%	9,348	99%	€16,456,931	98%	9,760					
Jobs, Enterprise and Innovation	99%	€15,662,551	97%	1,461	100%	€11,821,682	98%	1,525					
<u>Taoiseach</u>	99%	€2,597,411	98%	460	100%	€1,022,628	97%	349					
Public Expenditure & Reform	99%	€1,417,853	98%	347	93%	€555,952	95%	246					
<u>Finance</u>	99%	€1,403,981	98%	645	92%	€549,299	96%	584					
Foreign Affairs and Trade	98%	€4,410,015	99%	1,393	96%	€4,310,217	99%	1,426					
Arts, Heritage & Gaeltacht Affairs	97%	€7,447,202	83%	2,500	98%	€6,031,455	94%	1,438					
Communications, Energy & Natural Resources	96%	€3,520,459	96%	973	92%	€1,830,758	92%	801					
<u>Health</u>	96%	€1,151,733	99%	522	99%	€927,578	99%	504					
TOTAL		€810,438,481		48,781		€608,153,728		44,195					

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