

**PROMPT PAYMENT RETURNS BY GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS 2018**

Table 1	Quarter 4: October - Decemeber 2018				Quarter 3: July - September 2018			
	% 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>Agriculture, Food and the Marine</u>	96%	€102,192,101	91%	6,686	83%	€33,903,053	91%	€5,842
<u>Business, Enterprise &amp; Innovation</u>	88%	€4,940,595	86%	1,837	79%	€2,773,594	85%	€1,531
<u>Children &amp; Youth Affairs</u>	87%	€1,218,445	76%	348	57%	€1,535,160	72%	€337
<u>Communications, Climate Action and Environment</u>	64%	€6,330,840	72%	1,256	61%	€3,529,450	79%	€956
<u>Culture, Heritage &amp; the Gaeltacht</u>	88%	€19,727,995	74%	2,858	87%	€14,641,854	57%	€1,771
<u>Defence</u>	97%	€101,478,959	95%	9,582	96%	€36,644,707	93%	€8,290
<u>Education &amp; Skills</u>	97%	€100,808,067	73%	2,128	89%	€59,157,617	63%	€1,878
<u>Employment Affairs &amp; Social Protection</u>	86%	€84,845,484	73%	2,325	83%	€89,899,022	69%	€2,165
<u>Finance</u>	89%	€1,656,177	93%	786	91%	€981,578	94%	€636
<u>Foreign Affairs &amp; Trade</u>	81%	€14,073,070	84%	1,861	74%	€7,121,638	88%	€1,651
<u>Health</u>	90%	€2,513,234	89%	999	82%	€3,462,661	91%	€900
<u>Housing, Planning, Community and Local Government</u>	86%	€7,274,646	91%	1,346	66%	€4,344,949	92%	€947
<u>Justice and Equality</u>	87%	€53,447,237	77%	9,486	88%	€37,258,306	90%	€10,786
<u>Public Expenditure and Reform</u>	95%	€10,023,731	91%	1,065	90%	€3,464,605	93%	€803
<u>Rural and Community Development</u>	96%	€2,416,712	89%	821	87%	€14,641,854	57%	€1,771
<u>Taoiseach</u>	100%	€841,987,078	97%	3,497	92%	€2,661,737	86%	€569
<u>Transport, Tourism and Sport</u>	97%	€1,364,379,787	97%	47,529	100%	€493,437,989	97%	€3,068
<b>TOTAL</b>		€2,719,314,158		94,410		<b>€809,459,774</b>		<b>€43,901</b>

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	% 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
<b>GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS</b>								
<u>Agriculture, Food and the Marine</u>	100%	€106,097,333	99%	7,306	99%	€40,577,657	98%	6,324
<u>Business, Enterprise &amp; Innovation</u>	98%	€5,493,890	97%	2,079	99%	€3,470,471	96%	1,734
<u>Children &amp; Youth Affairs</u>	99%	€1,390,707	96%	439	99%	€2,672,322	97%	450
<u>Communications, Climate Action and Environment</u>	92%	€9,185,936	91%	1,582	88%	€5,066,467	96%	1,169
<u>Culture, Heritage &amp; the Gaeltacht</u>	99%	€22,207,851	104%	3,992	98%	€16,402,063	97%	3,014
<u>Defence</u>	100%	€104,383,052	100%	10,045	100%	€38,091,403	100%	8,898
<u>Education &amp; Skills</u>	99%	€103,536,453	93%	2,711	97%	€64,515,262	85%	2,534
<u>Employment Affairs &amp; Social Protection</u>	97%	€96,418,927	93%	2,963	99%	€107,999,580	93%	2,925
<u>Finance</u>	98%	€1,825,854	98%	832	100%	€1,072,658	99%	673
<u>Foreign Affairs &amp; Trade</u>	99%	€17,291,547	98%	2,168	97%	€9,260,169	98%	1,852
<u>Health</u>	96%	€2,689,634	99%	1,106	99%	€4,164,362	99%	974
<u>Housing, Planning, Community and Local Government</u>	99%	€8,381,154	99%	1,466	100%	€6,519,521	99%	1,024
<u>Justice and Equality</u>	99%	€60,486,352	98%	12,108	99%	€41,964,441	99%	11,910
<u>Public Expenditure and Reform</u>	100%	€10,467,668	98%	1,145	100%	€3,818,466	99%	854
<u>Rural and Community Development</u>	100%	€2,508,217	100%	843	98%	€16,402,063	97%	3,014
<u>Taoiseach</u>	100%	€842,815,858	100%	3,600	100%	€2,887,321	100%	659
<u>Transport, Tourism and Sport</u>	100%	€1,407,113,942	98%	55,112	100%	€494,001,493	100%	3,172
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>€2,802,294,377</b>		<b>109,497</b>		<b>€858,885,718</b>		<b>51,180</b>