

Export Licence Statistics

The Control of Exports Act, 2008 provides the legal basis for export controls, the licensing regime and the overall regulatory environment relating to the export of dual use and military goods. In addition, a number of directly effective EU Regulations regulate the export of these goods from the EU.

The objective of providing reports under the Act is to provide the public with a much greater level of transparency about exports of controlled goods and services, and an understanding of how export control operates.

To provide more regular information about exports of controlled goods, the Minister decided to publish summary, interim data on the Department's website.

The summary data in the Table below for the first 6 months of 2014 is preliminary and subject to verification and change.

Overview Table

| Type of Licence | | No. of licences issued in Jan – June 2014 | Value of licences issued in Jan – June 2014 (€M) |
|----------------------------|--|--|---|
| Individual Dual Use | | 321 | 165 |
| Global Dual Use | | 4 | 228* |
| Military | | 41 | 28 |
| Total | | 366 | 421 |

*** While four new global dual use licences were issued during the reporting period, the value for these licences relates to actual exports reported in respect of all eighteen global licences in operation during the first 6 months of 2014**

Note: Preliminary data subject to verification and change