

27 January 2023

Dear

ATISN 17049 – International Offices

Thank you for your request which I received on 14 January 2023. You asked for the following information, related to the Welsh Government's International Offices;

- 1) *How many staff in total are employed in these 21 offices?*
- 2) *What is the total annual cost through staffing, building costs and infrastructure of operating these offices?*

We currently have 41 staff in our offices overseas and the running cost budget for our offices overseas is £4.684m. We also have an office in London and this office currently has 4 staff.

If you are dissatisfied with the Welsh Government's handling of your request, you can ask for an internal review within 40 working days of the date of this response. Requests for an internal review should be addressed to the Welsh Government's Freedom of Information Officer at:

Information Rights Unit
Welsh Government
Cathays Park
Cardiff
CF10 3NQ
or e-mail: Freedom.ofinformation@gov.wales

Please remember to quote the ATISN reference number above.

You also have the right to complain to the Information Commissioner. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire
SK9 5AF

Telephone: 0303 123 1113
Website: www.ico.org.uk

However, please note that the Commissioner will not normally investigate a complaint until it has been through our own internal review process.

Yours sincerely