

28 March 2024

Dear ,

### **ATISN 20295 –Staffing Costs for the Overseas Offices**

Thank you for your request which I received on 04 March 2024. You asked for:  
Q. The total spend on salaries for all staff employed across the Welsh Government's overseas offices, broken down from the financial years from 2018/19 to the most recent year available.

### **Response**

The figures in the table below show the combined costs associated with staff salaries across the overseas network from 2018/19 to the most recent year available. The figures include on-costs such as pension costs and social security.

<b>2018/19</b>	<b>2019/20</b>	<b>2020/21</b>	<b>2021/22</b>	<b>2022/23</b>
£2,524,654.48	£3,217,341.46	£3,022,564.32	£2,743,542.14	£3,228,365.61

### **Next steps**

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](mailto: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](http://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