

From: LGHCCRA - Water & Flood

Sent: 31 July 2025 15:12

To:

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Subject: Freedom of Information Request - Water Abstraction Licences

Dear ,

ATISN 24969 Water abstraction licenses

Information requested

Thank you for your request which I received on 20 July 2025. You asked for data in relation to abstraction licences for the Usk river, excluding borehole abstractions. You requested that the information be broken down into two key areas. Firstly, daily and annual authorised abstractions by Dŵr Cymru Welsh Water for every year available, and the actual amount abstracted for each year. Secondly, authorised abstraction other than by Dŵr Cymru Welsh Water, and the actual amount abstracted each year other than by Dŵr Cymru Welsh Water.

Our response

I am writing to inform you that the information you have requested is not held by the Welsh Government. However, I believe that the Natural Resources Body for Wales (NRW) holds the information which you are seeking. You can ask them for the information at accesstoinformationteam@naturalresourceswales.gov.uk or I can transfer your request to them. Please inform me in writing if you would like me to transfer your request.

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 Email: 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.

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

Yours sincerely,