Dear

Request for Information – ATISN 25117

Thank you for your request for information dated 3 September regarding ferry operators in Wales,

Information requested

Details of any payments, grants, subsidies or other financial support made by the Welsh Government to any ferry operator for operating services to/from, or within, Wales for the last five financial years (2020/21 to 2024/25).

Including (but do not limit to): Holyhead–Dublin, Fishguard–Rosslare, Pembroke Dock–Rosslare, and any intra-Wales ferry or waterbus services.

For each payment please include: date, amount, recipient/operator, route/service supported, description/purpose, funding source/budget, and any associated grant agreement or contract (or variation).

If no such payments exist, please confirm this explicitly ("nil return").

If any COVID-19 support to ferry operators was administered or reimbursed by the Welsh Government, please include those details.

If any part of the request is unclear or would exceed the appropriate cost limit, please let me know how I can narrow it.

Our response

Having searched our records I can confirm that we do not hold the information requested therefore this is a nil return.

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