Grŵp yr Economi, Ynni a Trafnidiaeth Economy, Energy and Transport Group



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Dear ,

## ATISN 25132 - Foreign Aid and Overseas Offices

Thank you for your request for information, which we received on 09 September. In your email you asked for the following:

- How much foreign aid the Welsh Labour Government alone sends?
- To what countries does it send it to?
- 3. How much to each country?
- 4. And for what reasons?
- 5. How many outposts/offices the Welsh Labour Government has abroad?

## Response

The information requested is exempt under Section 21 of the FOI Act (Information accessible to the applicant by other means).

## Questions 1-4

The Welsh Government does not give overseas/ foreign aid directly to countries. Instead, we provide donations to humanitarian appeals that are administered by the Disasters Emergency Committee. Details can be found in our response to <a href="FOI release 24422">FOI release 24422</a>:

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## Question 5

Details on the location, staffing and running costs of our overseas offices was published in response to written questions from Darren Millar MS in December 2024. The response to the written questions can be found here: Written Question - WQ95327 - Location and staffing

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

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

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

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Yours sincerely