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**Dear Patsy** 

### AQW 16991/22-27 - INFORMATION TO BE PLACED IN THE ASSEMBLY LIBRARY

Due to the volume of detail required to answer AQW 16991/22-27, the information attached at Annex A has been placed in the Assembly Library.

Yours sincerely,

**Gordon Lyons MLA** 

**Minister for Communities** 

# ANNEX A

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This issue is an operational matter for the Housing Executive. I have sought the requested information from the Chief Executive, who has advised me as follows:

| Parliamentary<br>Constituency | Number of Applicant Households / Waiting Time<br>Bands |                                 |                                 |                                 |                                 |                              |       |              |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------|-------|--------------|
|                               | year (0-11 (                                           | 1-2<br>years<br>(12-23<br>mths) | 2-3<br>years<br>(24-35<br>mths) | 3-4<br>years<br>(36-47<br>mths) | 4-5<br>years<br>(48-59<br>mths) | 5+<br>years<br>(60+<br>mths) | Total |              |
|                               |                                                        |                                 |                                 |                                 |                                 |                              |       | Belfast East |
| Belfast East/South            | 109                                                    | 59                              | 43                              | 38                              | 32                              | 150                          | 431   |              |
| Belfast North                 | 989                                                    | 787                             | 485                             | 461                             | 386                             | 1,479                        | 4,587 |              |
| Belfast South                 | 717                                                    | 496                             | 386                             | 288                             | 272                             | 1,059                        | 3,218 |              |
| Belfast<br>South/Strangford   | 17                                                     | 24                              | 11                              | 14                              | 11                              | 44                           | 121   |              |
| Belfast West                  | 800                                                    | 645                             | 401                             | 389                             | 343                             | 1,531                        | 4,109 |              |
| Belfast West/North            | 52                                                     | 27                              | 11                              | 13                              | <10                             | 35                           | 138*  |              |
| Belfast West/South            | <10                                                    | 0                               | <10                             | 0                               | <10                             | 11                           | 24    |              |
| East Antrim                   | 550                                                    | 389                             | 242                             | 203                             | 124                             | 496                          | 2,004 |              |
| East Londonderry              | 602                                                    | 458                             | 385                             | 311                             | 245                             | 699                          | 2,700 |              |
| Fermanagh South Tyrone        | 639                                                    | 440                             | 256                             | 205                             | 136                             | 491                          | 2,167 |              |

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| Foyle          | 1,082      | 947  | 588   | 465  | 373  | 1,646      | 5,101       |
|----------------|------------|------|-------|------|------|------------|-------------|
| Lagan Valley   | 452        | 378  | 234   | 202  | 156  | 634        | 2,056       |
| Mid Ulster     | 375        | 274  | 149   | 139  | 81   | 367        | 1,385       |
| Newry & Armagh | 548        | 386  | 261   | 202  | 186  | 713        | 2,296       |
| North Antrim   | 611        | 517  | 390   | 245  | 187  | 643        | 2,593       |
| North Down     | 485        | 366  | 240   | 208  | 136  | 571        | 2,006       |
| South Antrim   | 516        | 396  | 246   | 185  | 125  | 478        | 1,946       |
| South Down     | 371        | 357  | 247   | 258  | 189  | 754        | 2,176       |
| Strangford     | 440        | 339  | 201   | 195  | 108  | 441        | 1,724       |
| Upper Bann     | 916        | 551  | 391   | 271  | 203  | 692        | 3,024       |
| West Tyrone    | 519        | 372  | 258   | 164  | 147  | 553        | 2,013       |
| Total          | 11227<br>* | 8571 | 5697* | 4695 | 3622 | 14,11<br>2 | 47,928<br>" |

The reporting unit for applications is the Common Landlord Area (CLA). The following Common Landlord Areas (CLAs) within an NIHE District cross Parliamentary Constituency Boundaries:

| NIHE CLA                           | Parliamentary<br>Constituency |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Cregagh Castlereagh                | Belfast East/South            |
| Willowfield/Upper Castlereagh Road | Belfast East/South            |
| Bridge End / Rotherdam Court       | Belfast East/South            |
| Carryduff                          | Belfast South/Strangford      |
| Ainsworth                          | Belfast West/North            |

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| Twaddell/Upper Woodvale    | Belfast West/North  |
|----------------------------|---------------------|
| Carrick Hill / Unity Flats | Belfast West/North  |
| Hamill St / John St        | Belfast West/South" |

For any future queries relating to operational matters, you may wish to contact the Northern Ireland Housing Executive directly. Making direct contact with the Northern Ireland Housing Executive will ensure that you receive the information in the shortest possible timeframe and make best use of public resources.