

1st July 2020

Dear

ATISN 14086 Caffael Cig Coch - cais Rhyddid Gwybodaeth / Red Meat Procurement - Freedom of Information request

Thank you for your request which I received on 25th June 2020. You asked for the following information:

1. Which organisation do you represent?
2. Do you procure for other organisations (please detail)
3. How do you currently procure chilled and frozen meat products?

National Procurement Service (NPS) framework

TUCO framework

'In house' framework or procurement

Standard tendering procedures

Other- please detail

4. What is your current annual spend on meat inclusive of processed meat products?

Frozen (£)

Chilled (£)

Beef

5. How much beef do you purchase annually?

Volume (kg)

Value (£)

6. Of this total, how much is PGI Welsh Beef (%)?

Volume %

Value %

7. What cuts do you purchase? (e.g. Roasting joints, Mince, Steak, etc)

8. What processed beef products do you purchase (e.g beef burgers, meatballs etc)

Lamb

9. How much lamb do you purchase annually?

Volume (kg)

Value (£)

10. Of this total, how much is PGI Welsh Lamb?

Volume %

Value %

11. Which cuts do you purchase? (e.g. Legs, boneless shoulders, steaks, diced etc)

12. What processed lamb products do you purchase (e.g lamb burgers, meatballs etc)

Other meat products

13. How much pork do you purchase annually?

Volume (kg)

Value (£)

14. How much chicken / turkey do you purchase annually?

Volume (kg)

Value (£)

15. How much seafood do you purchase annually?

Volume (kg)

Value (£)

16. How much other fish do you purchase annually?

Volume (kg)

Value (£)

17. What is the weighted criteria for selecting meat suppliers by your organisation? (e.g. cost, quality, provenance, frequency of delivery etc)

18. What other pre qualifying factors are considered when purchasing food and drink? Please detail.

The Welsh Government does not directly procure meat, therefore we don't hold the information you have requested. Our Catering services are provided under the All

Wales Catering Contract (AWCC) by Eurest Support Services (ESS) – part of the Compass Group.

Following a search of our paper and electronic records, I have established that the information you require is not held by the Welsh Government.

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.of.information@gov.wales

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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