Vaughan Gething AS/MS Gweinidog yr Economi Minister for Economy



Our ref: WQ86447

Andrew R.T. Davies
MS for South Wales Central

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Dear Andrew,

I am writing in response to your Written Question of 26 October to the Minister for Finance and Local Government regarding Welsh Government loans.

Attached is a breakdown of the number of loans provided by the Welsh Government that have been written off in the last 10 years, including the organisation that received the loan, the amount written off and the year in which the loan was written off.

Please note that for reasons of commercial confidentiality, companies with loans written off below £300,000 have not been identified as this information is not in the public domain.

Yours sincerely,

Vaughan Gething AS/MS

Gweinidog yr Economi Minister for Economy

Loans Written Off by Welsh Government 2012/13 to 2022/2023 (end October) Includes Repayable Business Finance (RBF)

Name	Date of Write Off	Amount Written Off	Comment		
£300,000 or more					
2022 / 2023					
None Recorded					
2021 / 2022					
None Recorded					
2020 / 2021					
Oysterworld	March 2021	£909,950.00	RBF		
Cardiff International Airport	March 2021	£42,600,000.00	Loan		
Quinn Radiators	January 2021	£1,500,000.00	Loan		
2019 / 2020					
None Recorded					
2018 / 2019					
Retirement Review	April 2019	£358,620.00	RBF		
2017 / 2018					
G24i	2017 2018	£1,176,081.36	Loan		
Kancoat	April 2018	£1,974,323.52	RBF and Loan		
2016 / 2017					
None Recorded					
2015 / 2016					
None Recorded					
2014 / 2015					
None Recorded					
2013 / 2014					
None Recorded					
2012 / 2013					
None Recorded					

Below £300,000				
		Combined Value		
2021 / 2022				
One Recorded	May 2021	£13,021.04	RBF	
2020 / 2021				
One Recorded	February 2021	£189,459.00	RBF	
2019 / 2020				
Two Recorded	December 2019 January 2020	£130,384.41	RBF	
2018 / 2019				
One Recorded	December 2018	£158,064.07	RBF	
One Recorded	December 2018	£9,651.00	Loan Interest	
2017 / 2018				
One Recorded	April 2017	£5,000.00	RBF	
One Recorded	March 2018	£255,169.66	Loan	
2016 / 2017				
None Recorded				
2015 / 2016				
Two Recorded	2015 / 2016	£412,000.00	RBF	
2014 / 2015				
None Recorded				
2013 / 2014				
None Recorded				
2012 / 2013				
None Recorded				