

Prompt Payment Returns by Government Departments - Q2 2026			
	Quarter 2: Apr - June		
GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS	Total number of payments in the quarter	% of payments within 15 days	% of payments within 30 days
<u>Agriculture, Food and the Marine</u>	7,218	86%	97%
Children, Disability and Equality	904	84%	97%
<u>Defence</u>	12,053	98%	100%
<u>Education</u>	4,471	59%	84%
<u>Climate, Energy and the Environment</u>	1,469	79%	95%
<u>Enterprise, Tourism and Employment</u>	1,282	85%	97%
<u>Finance</u>	871	98%	99%
<u>Foreign Affairs and Trade</u>	1,647	67%	95%
<u>Further and Higher Education, Research, Innovation and Science</u>	580	82%	93%
<u>Health</u>	794	89%	99%
<u>Housing, Local Government and Heritage</u>	5,159	87%	99%
<u>Justice and Equality</u>	12,148	73%	94%
<u>Public Expenditure, NDP Delivery and Reform</u>	795	55%	97%
<u>Rural and Community Development and the Gaeltacht</u>	516	96%	100%
<u>Social Protection</u>	1,735	77%	93%
<u>Taoiseach</u>	477	92%	99%
<u>Culture, Communications and Sport</u>	1,735	79%	98%
<u>Transport</u>	2,108	79%	95%
TOTAL	48,744		