PROMPT PAYMENT RETURNS BY GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS 2022											
Table 1	Quarter 3 July-September				Quarter 2: April - June						
GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS	% of overall Total value paid within 15 days	Value of Payments within 15 days	% No. of payments within 15 days	No. of Payments within 15 days	% of overall Total value paid within 15 days	Value of Payments within 15 days	% No. of payments within 15 days	No. of Payments within 15 days			
Agriculture, Food and the Marine	68%	€45,583,738	66%	6,314	59%	€33,993,200	47%	4,055			
Children, Equality, Disablity, Integration and Youth	62%	€166,534,376	67%	1343	79%	€150,641,595	86%	1618			
<u>Defence</u>	98%	€45,927,690	96%	7,539	95%	€41,334,863	93%	7,422			
<u>Education</u>	86%	€134,176,387	53%	1,615	92%	€145,384,829	55%	1,783			
Environment Climate and Communications	85%	€7,057,578	95%	817	95%	€10,201,658	98%	977			
Enterprise, Trade and Employment	80%	€2,334,118	78%	931	64%	€2,110,840	50%	587			
<u>Finance</u>	72%	€712,857	91%	513	89%	€1,811,351	81%	469			
Foreign Affairs	23%	€3,038,968	24%	452	24%	€2,718,688	26%	405			
Further and Higher Education, Research, Innovation and Science	39%	€3,839,509	69%	162	61%	€5,871,682	68%	306			
<u>Health</u>	83%	€6,357,177	79%	580	95%	€7,960,569	82%	617			
Housing, Local Government and Heritage	67%	€6,773,458	84%	3,171	61%	€5,701,090	81%	3,003			
<u>Justice</u>	66%	€12,869,732	53%	6,831	77%	€13,324,305	92%	9,510			
Public Expenditure and Reform	86%	€622,380	85%	271	96%	€3,336,878	88%	272			
Rural and Community Development	98%	€7,530,188	89%	480	98%	€3,092,209	84%	337			
Social Protection	75%	€56,808,415	72%	1,588	86%	€69,987,002	74%	1,358			
<u>Taoiseach</u>	91%	€1,921,868	74%	443	72%	€1,602,285	81%	481			
Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media	92%	€59,190,085	77%	754	98%	€109,887,557	79%	622			
<u>Transport</u>	96%	€16,184,567	94%	924	92%	€7,484,747	96%	902			
TOTAL		€577,463,091		34,728		€616,445,347		34,724			

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Agriculture, Food and the Marine	99%	€66,624,432	96%	9,201	100%	€57,274,964	96%	8,353
Children, Equality, Disablity, Integration and Youth	95%	€255,283,461	93%	1,866	100%	€188,774,392	97%	1,827
<u>Defence</u>	100%	€46,814,344	100%	7,857	100%	€43,340,849	100%	7,951
<u>Education</u>	96%	€150,837,612	81%	2,456	98%	€154,285,805	84%	2,697
Environment Climate and Communications	99%	€8,291,126	100%	853	100%	€10,680,147	99%	994
Enterprise, Trade and Employment	95%	€2,750,518	94%	1,127	96%	€3,168,365	95%	1,116
<u>Finance</u>	89%	€878,720	97%	546	90%	€1,830,038	91%	523
Foreign Affairs	82%	€10,839,233	95%	1,785	70%	€7,994,457	90%	1,386
Further and Higher Education, Research, Innovation and Science	99%	€9,782,051	88%	207	99%	€9,604,295	95%	426
<u>Health</u>	99%	€7,580,107	98%	722	98%	€8,250,376	95%	712
Housing, Local Government and Heritage	99%	€9,980,810	99%	3,716	100%	€9,250,929	99%	3,662
<u>Justice</u>	98%	€19,271,919	99%	12,664	98%	€16,895,018	99%	10,196
Public Expenditure and Reform	93%	€674,502	95%	301	97%	€3,382,939	95%	293
Rural and Community Development	99%	€7,610,285	98%	528	100%	€3,162,654	99%	396
Social Protection	93%	€70,279,305	90%	1,983	98%	€79,656,431	95%	1,739
<u>Taoiseach</u>	100%	€2,112,341	99%	595	96%	€2,140,785	97%	574
Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media	96%	€61,632,703	96%	939	100%	€112,169,945	96%	763
<u>Transport</u>	100%	€16,827,562	99%	977	100%	€8,142,947	100%	943
TOTAL		€748,071,031		48,323		€720,005,336		44,551