WRITTEN QUESTION TO THE MINISTER FOR SOCIAL SECURITY BY DEPUTY R.S. KOVACS OF ST. SAVIOUR QUESTION SUBMITTED ON MONDAY 25th SEPTEMBER 2023 ANSWER TO BE TABLED ON MONDAY 2nd OCTOBER 2023

Question

"Following the response to Written Question 327/2023, will the Minister provide details of how many individuals received the housing component of Income Support in each year from 2012 to 2022 (inclusive) broken down for the following accommodation providers –

- (a) Andium Homes;
- (b) tenants of Housing Associations or Trusts; and
- (c) tenants in private sector accommodation?"

Answer

The information requested in written question 327 is available on the open data website. The information requested in this question is also available on the open data website

Income support Accommodation Types.

The open data information is summarised below

Year	No of households with open IS claim at year end		
	Andium (and Housing Dept pre 2014)	Housing Trust Rental	Private Rental
2012	3,058	575	1,883
2013	2,972	579	1,971
2014	2,971	602	2,030
2015	2,914	625	1,941
2016	2,880	580	1,862
2017	2,833	582	1,756
2018	2,784	621	1,697
2019	2,734	633	1,674
2020	2,839	673	1,916
2021	2,810	655	1,568
2022	2,826	607	1,285

Note that to provide public data within appropriate data protection principles, categories of accommodation which cover less than 10 households are not reported on specifically but are shown in the data tables with the standard comment (less than 10 (<10)). These categories are not included in the totals shown. Comparing against the detailed data held in individual records, this has undercounted the total number of households in the table above by around 50 a year.