CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Inquiry, operational and monitoring case statistics

Monitoring case statistics: 1 Apr 15 - 31 Mar 16

Charity classification	Number of charity classifications listed by charities in monitoring cases opened	Percentage
Animals	17	1.1%
Amateur sport	47	3.1%
Advancement of health/saving lives	136	9.0%
Accommodation/housing	51	3.4%
Arts/culture/heritage/science	71	4.7%
Armed forces/emergency services	2	0.1%
Disability	62	4.1%
Environment/conservation/heritage	50	3.3%
Education/training	249	16.5%
Economic/community development/employment	97	6.4%
General charitable purposes	174	11.5%
Human rights/religious or racial harmony/equality or diversity	38	2.5%
Overseas aid	106	7.0%
Other charitable purpose	56	3.7%
Prevention/relief of poverty	184	12.2%
Recreation	32	2.1%
Religious activities	138	9.1%
Total	**1510**	**100%**

414 cases opened (unregistered charities are not included in the data).

Beneficiary categories	Number of beneficiary categories listed by charities in monitoring cases opened	Percentage
Children/younger people	240	23.4%
Elderly/old people	141	13.7%
People with disabilities	121	11.8%
People of a particular ethnic or racial origin	89	8.7%
Other charities or voluntary bodies	116	11.3%
Other defined groups	66	6.4%
The general public/mankind	253	24.7%
Total	**1026**	**100%**

Income of charities	Income of charities in monitoring cases opened	Percentage
<25K	120	29.0%
25K - 250K	100	24.2%
250K - 500k	22	5.3%
500k +	100	24.2%
Not recorded	72	17.4%
Total	**414**	**100%**

Age of charities	Age of registered charities in monitoring cases opened	Percentage
0-1 Year	36	8.7%
1-3 Years	88	21.3%
3-5 Years	47	11.4%
5-10 Years	68	16.4%
10 Years +	175	42.3%
Total	**414**	**100%**

Breakdown of religious classification	Breakdown of religious classification in monitoring cases opened	Percent against the number of religious classifications	Percent against the total number of classifications
Christian	53	38.4%	3.5%
Islamic	42	30.4%	2.8%
Sikh	7	5.1%	0.5%
Jewish	7	5.1%	0.5%
Buddhist	1	0.7%	0.1%
Hindu	3	2.2%	0.2%
Other/unidentifiable	25	18.1%	1.7%
Total	**138**	**100%**	**9.1%**

Methodology

The sample for this report was all monitoring cases opened between 01/04/15 and 31/03/16. To determine a charity's classification, beneficiaries, age and income we primarily took the information from the register of charities. Charities can select more than one classification and beneficiary group so the totals will come to more than the total number of cases. To determine the religion of those charities which classified themselves as religious we used the charities' objects.