



Ministry  
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# **Management Information Notice**

**Employment Tribunal Fee Refund  
Scheme - Provisional  
Management Information, as at  
18 December 2017**

18 January 2018

## **Background**

This ad-hoc statistical notice presents provisional management information relating to the Employment Tribunal (ET) fee refund scheme, introduced in October 2017 following the abolition of ET fees on 26 July 2017. This ad-hoc notice provides initial information on the number of applications received and processed, and on refunds made to date, as reported to the Justice Select Committee hearing on 19 December 2017.

Table 1 in this statistical notice provides information on the ET fee refund scheme, including applications received, processed and paid as at 18 December 2017.

Further details on ET statistics, including data on the previous ET fee scheme, can be found in the *Tribunal and Gender Recognition Statistics Quarterly* bulletin, which was last published on 14 December 2017:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/tribunals-statistics>

Updated summary statistics relating to employment tribunal fee refunds as at 31 December 2017 will be published in the next edition of the *Tribunal and Gender Recognition Statistics Quarterly* publication (due to be published 8 March 2018).

**Table 1: Employment Tribunal Fee Refund Statistics, as at 18 December 2017 (provisional)**

		<b>18 December 2017</b>
<b>Refund Applications</b>		
Applications received by the MoJ		4,689
Applications processed by the MoJ		2,660
<b>Refund Payments</b>		
Payments made by the MoJ		2,151
Monetary value of payments		<b>£1,808,310</b>

1. This table represents statistics relating to the Employment Tribunal refund scheme launched by the Ministry of Justice in October 2017.
2. The figures in these tables have been drawn from administrative IT systems which, as with any large-scale recording system, are subject to possible inaccuracies with data entry and processing.

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