

Prompt Payment Statutory returns

In accordance with regulation 113(7) of the Public Contract Regulations (2015) the following statistics for West Sussex County Council display the:

1. Percentage of invoices paid within 30 days
2. Amount of interest paid to suppliers due to late payments
3. Potential interest liability for invoices paid after 30 days (required from 2016-17 onwards)

Financial Year	Percentage of their invoices paid within 30 days	Amount of interest paid to suppliers due to late payment	Total amount of interest that the contracting authority was liable to pay (whether or not paid and whether under any statutory or other requirement), due to a breach of Regulation 113.
2015 - 2016	96%	See note	
2016 - 2017	94%	See note	£566,577.81
2017 - 2018	94%	See note	£405,715.54
2018 - 2019	94.8%	See note	£170,198.05
2019 - 2020	94.1%	See note	£666,089.81
2020 - 2021	95.8%	See note	£535,458.78
2021 - 2022	91.4%	See note	£1,135,223.51
2022 – 2023	96.2%	See note	£1,688,817.81
2023 - 2024	95.0%	see note	£877,022.94

Note: Whilst it is likely that we would have made some interest payments, we are unable to publish the figures because the way that they were recorded in our system means that we are unable to readily identify them.