



Inquiry into Annual and Financial Reports 2023–2024

Answer to question on notice

Asked by: Mr Ed Cocks MLA

Addressed to: Minister for Finance

Reference: Reassessed Conveyance Duty Concessions - Objection Rate

Hearing: 17 February 2025

In relation to: Reassessed Conveyance Duty Concessions - Objection Rate

Question received: 24 February 2025

Answer Due: 04 March 2025

Mr Cocks: To ask the Minister for Finance —

How many objections or appeals have been lodged in response to reassessed conveyance duty concessions, in total and broken down by financial year?

1. How many of these objections have been successful?
2. Please provide a breakdown of the reasons why these objections were or were not successful.

Rachel Stephen-Smith MLA: The answer to the Member's question is as follows:

1.

Conveyance duty concession (HBC) objections lodged over the past three years						
Financial Year	Disallowed	Allowed	Part Allowed	Withdrawn	Ongoing	Total
2021-22	7	0	1	1	0	9
2022-23	32	1	2	0	0	35
2023-24	69	2	27	3	18	119
2024-25 (year to date)	12	0	2	0	70	84

2. The Revenue Office does not collate the information requested. To produce it would require a review of all cases. This would be an unreasonable diversion of resources.

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Signature:

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be 'R. Stephen-Smith', written over a horizontal line.

Date:

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By the Minister for Finance, Rachel Stephen-Smith