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Inquiry into referred 2016–17 Annual and Financial Reports
ANSWER TO QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE
16 November 2017

Asked by MS LE COUTEUR:

In relation to One Link - of the 1,900 people who accessed homelessness services how many of them were housed at the end of the 2016-17 year.

Of the 1,900 people who accessed homelessness services through One Link, how many of these people, who access homelessness services, were actually able to gain accommodation as distinct from any other sort of services?

MINISTER BERRY: The answer to the Member's question is as follows:–

In 2016-17, of the 1,900 clients who accessed homelessness services through OneLink, 376 were placed into accommodation. At the end of June 2017, 190 clients were waiting to be connected to either a service or accommodation.

Not all people who accessed homelessness services through OneLink have identified accommodation needs. Many people have identified needs for non-accommodation services (i.e. support services) such as support to sustain tenancy, legal services, family services and other support services.

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By the Minister for Housing and Suburban Development, Minister Yvette Berry MLA