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Dear ██████████

Environmental Information Regulations 2004 (EIR 2004)

I refer to your request for information received by the Department on 01 September 2025 that sought the following information:

Please provide the total annual figures for DAERA and the NIEA's funding of the Lough Neagh Partnership - including a breakdown of core and non-core funding - during 2024 and up to the latest point where data is available in 2025.

The Department has completed its search, and I can confirm that it holds the information you requested.

Lough Neagh Partnership has received a total of £470,933.69 in grant aid from DAERA for the period 1 April 2024 to 30 September 2025. As the Department does not provide core funding to Lough Neagh Partnership we cannot provide a separate breakdown of the funding provided.

If you are unhappy with the manner in which your request for information has been handled or the decision to release / withhold information, you have the right to request a formal review by the Department.

If you wish to do so, please contact The Review Section either by e-mailing daera.informationmanager@daera-ni.gov.uk or by post at: The Department of Agriculture, Environment and Rural Affairs, Data Protection & Information Management Branch, Floor 2, Ballykelly House, 111 Ballykelly Road, Ballykelly, Limavady BT49 9HP, within two months from the date of this letter.

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If after such an internal review you are still unhappy with the response, you have the right to appeal to the Information Commissioner at Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, CHESHIRE, SK9 5AF, who will undertake an independent review of the Department's decision.

Yours sincerely,

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