

27 August 2025

Dear

ATISN 25028

Thank you for your request which I received on 29 July 2025. You asked for the following information (for the six-month period in 2025 from January 1 to June 30):

- 1. The number of press conferences held. For each, please give its date; location; subject; and the minister(s) taking questions.**

None during this period.

- 2. The number of pressers held. For each, please give its date; location; and the minister(s) taking questions.**

We were not exactly sure what you meant here, so we have captured all interviews in the attached spreadsheet, both ones requested by the media and others that took place on visits where we invited the media to attend and interview Ministers, and the occasions where we proactively put Ministers up for interview, like on budget day for example. Where interviews are bunched together these will usually be those occasions.

We often invite the media to attend visits where Ministers are present and available for interview, but sometimes no media attends – these occasions are not captured in the spreadsheet. We only systematically record the interviews that take place, not events that media were invited to but did not attend.

- 3. The number of interviews. For each, please give the date of the interview and/or its publication date; the minister(s) being interviewed; the media or social media outlet; and the media format (e.g. TV, radio, newspaper, podcast).**

These are captured in the attached spreadsheet, although we cannot guarantee that every interview has been captured here, there may be a small number that were not captured.

Next steps

If you are dissatisfied with the Welsh Government's handling of your request, you can ask for an internal review within 40 working days of the date of this response. Requests for an internal review should be addressed to the Welsh Government's Freedom of Information Officer at:

Information Rights Unit
Welsh Government
Cathays Park
Cardiff
CF10 3NQ

or e-mail: Freedom.of.information@gov.wales

Please remember to quote the ATISN reference number above.

You also have the right to complain to the Information Commissioner. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire
SK9 5AF

Website: www.ico.org.uk

However, please note that the Commissioner will not normally investigate a complaint until it has been through our own internal review process.

Yours sincerely