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### **(CCC) Grant Making Practice**

Grant-making practice, specifically related to the voluntary, community and social enterprise sector.

The FOI request is for the following information:

1. Listing separately for each year, in the years 2018/19, 2019/20 and 2020/21 what was the
  - I. Total annual financial value of grants given to the voluntary, community and social enterprise sector by your authority?
  - II. Total number of grants given to the voluntary, community and social enterprise sector by your authority?
  
2. Listing separately for each year, in the years 2018/19, 2019/20 and 2020/21 of the above grants (question 1) what total number were awarded through
  - I. Competitive/open grants processes?
  - II. Awarded as grants in aid?
  - III. Unknown?
  
3. Listing separately for each year, in the years 2018/19, 2019/20 and 2020/21 what was/were the:
  - I. Total number of formal challenges you received around your grant processes and decisions on the basis of alleged non-compliance with: State Aid, Subsidy Control, or Public Procurement regulations?
  - II. And of these what number of these challenged resulted in legal proceedings?

### **Response**

2018/19

Q1: Total value of open grants processes: £1,453,738.96  
Q2: Total number of grants given via open grants process: 137  
Q3: Total number of formal challenges: 0

Q1: Total value awarded as grants in aid: 0  
Q2: Total number of grants awarded as grants in aid: 0  
Q3: Total number of formal challenges: 0

2019/20

Q1: Total value of open grants processes: £1,583,908.32  
Q2: Total number of grants given via open grants process: 162  
Q3: Total number of formal challenges: 0

Q1: Total value awarded as grants in aid: £115,000

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Q2: Total number of grants awarded as grants in aid: 25

Q3: Total number of formal challenges: 0

2020/21

Q1: Total value of open grants processes: £1,461,507.00

Q2: Total number of grants given via open grants process: 130

Q3: Total number of formal challenges: 0

Q1: Total value awarded as grants in aid: £30,000

Q2: Total number of grants awarded as grants in aid: 15

Q3: Total number of formal challenges: 0

We aim to provide a high-quality service to you and hope that you are satisfied with this response. If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Further queries on this matter should be directed to [foi@cambridge.gov.uk](mailto:foi@cambridge.gov.uk)