

**FIGURES FOR TRANSPARENCY CODE**

2015/16

**FRAUD****Use of Authorised Officer Powers**

Number of occasions we used powers under the Prevention of Social Housing Fraud (Power to Require Information) (England) Regulations 2014, or similar powers	<b>90</b>
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**Investigation Staff and Resources**

Absolute number of employees undertaking investigations and prosecutions of fraud	<b>5</b>
FTE number of employees undertaking investigations and prosecutions of fraud	<b>1.9</b>
Absolute number of professionally accredited counter fraud specialists.	<b>2</b>
FTE number of professionally accredited counter fraud specialists.	<b>1.1</b>

**Amount Spent**

Total amount spent by the authority on the investigation and prosecution of fraud	<b>£84,330</b>
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**Number of Cases**

Total number of fraud cases investigated	<b>13,138</b>
Total number of occasions on which fraud was identified	<b>207</b>
Total monetary value of the fraud that was detected	<b>£180,596</b>
Total monetary value of fraud that was recovered in the year	<b>£39,491</b>

Total number of cases of irregularity investigated	<b>12</b>
Total number of occasions on which irregularity was identified	<b>7</b>
Total monetary value of the irregularity that was detected	<b>£2,638</b>
Total monetary value of irregularities that was recovered in the year	<b>£2,388</b>