

**WRITTEN QUESTION TO THE MINISTER FOR TREASURY AND RESOURCES  
BY SENATOR S.Y. MÉZEC  
QUESTION SUBMITTED ON MONDAY 22nd FEBRUARY 2021  
ANSWER TO BE TABLED ON MONDAY 1st MARCH 2021**

**Question**

Will the Minister provide the following information, by year, for the period 2010 to date –

- (a) a breakdown of the total amount of income declared by all Island residents with incomes of, or exceeding, £1 million; and
- (b) a breakdown of the total amount of income declared by all Island residents with incomes at, or below, 60% of the median income (i.e. those living in ‘relative low income’)?

**Answer**

a) Following discussion with the Senator this information is presented for registered taxpayers and is based on data as it stood in February 2021.

A ‘Taxpayer’ may be defined as:

- Single individuals
- Married couples / civil partnerships that have not opted for separate assessments (counted as one Individual Taxpayer or one Individual Non- Taxpayer)
- Married couples / civil partners that have opted for separate assessments (counted as two Individual Taxpayers or two Individual Non-Taxpayers).

(Taxpayers rounded to nearest 10, income rounded to £100k. Columns may not sum due to rounding.)

Year	Number of Taxpayers	Total Earned Income	Total Unearned Income	Total Income
2010	70	£58.1m	£71.5m	£129.6m
2011	70	£29.9m	£114.7m	£144.6m
2012	60	£45.8m	£69.2m	£115.0m
2013	50	£25.0m	£142.3m	£167.2m
2014	70	£43.7m	£116.1m	£159.8m
2015	80	£40.6m	£111.7m	£152.3m
2016	100	£71.2m	£122.9m	£194.1m
2017	90	£57.5m	£172.2m	£229.6m
2018	100	£44.2m	£172.0m	£216.1m

b) The Minister is grateful for the Senator’s agreement to reply to this part at a future date due to the degree of work needed to answer.