WRITTEN QUESTION TO THE MINISTER FOR SOCIAL SECURITY BY THE DEPUTY OF ST. JOHN ANSWER TO BE TABLED ON TUESDAY 4TH JULY 2017

Question

Following the publication of 'Jersey Resident Population – 2016 Estimate', will the Minister provide for each of the last 10 years the average amount of Social Security contribution credited to the Social Security Fund for people entering work who have moved to Jersey?

Answer

The table below includes all newly registered contributors who made social security contributions in the year following their year of registration and the total contributions paid for the first full year of employment (i.e the year after arrival). Data from the actual year of arrival will be affected by the specific month of arrival and so the table shows the value of contributions for the first full year of employment.

Note that the analysis does not differentiate between different types of new registrations into the Social Security scheme. The time span requested predates the introduction of the Control of Housing and Work Law and therefore this analysis is based on the total number of people making contributions for the first time. As such it will include "people entering work" from different routes (recent migrant, school, university, UK employment etc).

First full year	No of										
of registration	contributors	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
2007	3,450	£6.0m									
2008	3,350		£6.5m								
2009	3,100			£6.3m							
2010	2,200				£4.5m						
2011	2,050					£4.3m					
2012	2,150						£4.9m				
2013	1,600							£3.9m			
2014	1,650								£4.5m		
2015	1,700									£4.6m	
2016	1,950										£5.4m

Further notes on the table:

- 1. Count rounded to nearest 50
- 2. The count is of Class 1 and Class 2 individuals.
- 3. Individuals are only counted if they pay a contribution during the year.