

Request for Information

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**Questions**

*A request was received for the following information:*

About housing stock that was transferred from the Scottish Borders to your association under a stock transfer agreement. I am particularly interested in understanding:

1. **The number of former council houses currently managed by your association** that were transferred from the council.
2. **Whether your association currently purchases former council houses** or other properties with the intention of returning them to social or council-style housing.

SBHA response was:

1. Of SBHA's current total housing stock, 5,571 properties were part of the transfer from Scottish Borders Council.

2. Yes - SBHA currently purchases former council houses and other properties with the intention of returning them to social rented homes.

Please note that this response constitutes full release under the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002.