Local authorities must publish the following information about their counter fraud work.

**The data relates to the period 01.04.19 to 31.03.20.**

• Number of occasions they use powers under the Prevention of Social Housing Fraud (Power to Require Information) (England) Regulations 2014, or similar powers: 0

• Total number (absolute and full time equivalent) of employees undertaking investigations and prosecutions of fraud: Absolute 3, full time equivalent 2.4

• total number (absolute and full time equivalent) of professionally accredited counter fraud specialists: Absolute 2, full time equivalent 1.4

• Total amount spent by the authority on the investigation and prosecution of fraud:

£55,086.80

• Total number of fraud cases investigated: 384

**The data relates to the period 01.04.2020 to 31.03.2021.**

• Number of occasions they use powers under the Prevention of Social Housing Fraud (Power to Require Information) (England) Regulations 2014, or similar powers: 1

• Total number (absolute and full time equivalent) of employees undertaking investigations and prosecutions of fraud: Absolute 3, full time equivalent 2.4

• total number (absolute and full time equivalent) of professionally accredited counter fraud specialists: Absolute 2, full time equivalent 1.4

• Total amount spent by the authority on the investigation and prosecution of fraud:

£57,391.16

• Total number of fraud cases investigated: 143