

Appendix 2

Exemptions that have been changed in Competitive Exemptions Policy

General	Description	Threshold Limit	Exemption Code
Sheltered accommodation / residential services	Urgent and/or short term accommodation provided by the Department of Community and Children's Services.	Up to OJEU threshold for services	ECP015
Residential care or supported living provision	Residential care or supported living provision for individual service users where those users or anyone acting on their behalf have a choice in the type of location of the provision to meet their needs under the Care Act 2014.	Up to OJEU threshold for services	ECP016

Grants	Description	Threshold Limit	Exemption Code
Grants	<p>A grant must fall within the following definition:</p> <p>“A sum of money given voluntarily to a particular person for a particular purpose/s. A grant is usually made to another person or organisation to fund the organisation's normal activities. (This is in contrast to a procurement whereby the contracting party sets out the terms of reference for a project which it wants to be carried out by another party.) Grant beneficiaries will generally be non-profit-making. Grants are usually made in accordance with an established policy, and that policy provides a transparent framework for objective decision-making in awarding/allocating the grants (i.e. equal treatment of applications/recipients).”</p>	None	ECP025