## **Housing**Ombudsman Service

# LANDLORD PERFORMANCE REPORT

2022/2023

Westminster City Council

#### LANDLORD PERFORMANCE

**April 2022 - March 2023** 

DATA REFRESHED: May 2023

**Landlord:** Westminster City Council

Landlord Homes: 11,755 Landlord Type: Local Authority / ALMO or TMO

#### **PERFORMANCE AT A GLANCE**



Determinations

39



44

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**Findings** 

64



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**Maladministration Findings** 

36



Compensation

£15,495



Orders Made

49



61%

#### PERFORMANCE 2021-2022



**Determinations** 

34



**Orders Made** 

30



Compensation

£10,682

by Landlord Type: Table 1.2



Maladministration Rate

**29%** 

Maladministration Rate Comparison | Cases determined between April 2022 - March 2023

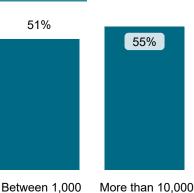
NATIONAL MALADMINISTRATION RATE: 55%

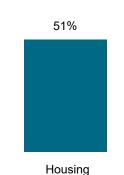
The landlord performed <u>similarly</u> when compared to similar landlords by size and type.

National Mal Rate by Landlord Size: Table 1.1

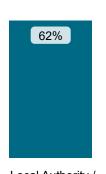
59%

Less than 1,000 Between 1,000 units and 10,000 units





Association





Local Authority / ALMO or TMO

Other

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#### Findings Comparison | Cases determined between April 2022 - March 2023

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•	Outcome	Less than 1,000 units	Betwee	en 1,000 and

Outcome	Less than 1,000 units	Between 1,000 and 10,000 units	More than 10,000 units	Total
Severe Maladministration	3%	2%	3%	3%
Maladministration	27%	20%	25%	24%
Service failure	20%	23%	21%	21%
Mediation	0%	1%	2%	2%
Redress	10%	12%	16%	15%
No maladministration	25%	32%	22%	24%
Outside Jurisdiction	15%	11%	10%	11%
Withdrawn	0%	1%	2%	1%

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Outcome	% Findings				
Severe Maladministration	2%				
Maladministration	27%				
Service failure	28%				
Mediation	2%				
Redress	19%				
No maladministration	16%				
Outside Jurisdiction	8%				
Withdrawn	0%				

#### National Performance by Landlord Type: Table 2.2

Outcome	<b>Housing Association</b>	Local Authority / ALMO or TMO	Other	Total
Severe Maladministration	2%	3%	6%	3%
Maladministration	23%	28%	32%	24%
Service failure	21%	22%	24%	21%
Mediation	2%	1%	3%	2%
Redress	19%	8%	3%	15%
No maladministration	23%	24%	21%	23%
Outside Jurisdiction	9%	13%	12%	11%
Withdrawn	1%	1%	0%	1%

Outcome	% Findings
Severe Maladministration	2%
Maladministration	27%
Service failure	28%
Mediation	2%
Redress	19%
No maladministration	16%
Outside Jurisdiction	8%
Withdrawn	0%

#### Landlord Findings by Category | Cases determined between April 2022 - March 2023 Table 2.3

Category	Severe Maladministration	Maladministration	Service failure	Mediation	Redress	No maladministration	Outside Jurisdiction	Withdrawn	Total ▼
Property Condition	1	7	8	0	8	5	1	0	30
Complaints Handling	0	5	6	0	2	0	0	0	13
Anti-Social Behaviour	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	4
Health and Safety (inc. building safety)	0	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	4
Moving to a Property	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	3
Staff	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	3
Charges	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	2
Estate Management	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	2
Buying or selling a property		0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Information and data management	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Reimbursement and Payments	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Total	1	17	18	1	12	10	5	0	64

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#### Findings by Category Comparison | Cases determined between April 2022 - March 2023

3 Categories for	Westminster City	/ Council	Table
Category	# Landlord Findings	% Landlord Maladministration	% National Maladministration
Property Condition	29	55%	54%
Complaints Handling	13	85%	76%
Anti-Social Behaviour	4	75%	40%
Health and Safety (inc. building safety)	4	75%	52%

National Maladministration Rate by Landlord Size: Table 3.2

Category	Less than 1,000 units	Between 1,000 and 10,000 units	More than 10,000 units	% Landlord Maladministration
Anti-Social Behaviour	43%	39%	41%	75%
Complaints Handling	97%	75%	76%	85%
Health and Safety (inc. building safety)	33%	57%	52%	75%
Property Condition	50%	54%	55%	55%

#### National Maladministration Rate by Landlord Type: Table 3.3

Category	<b>Housing Association</b>	Local Authority / ALMO or TMO	Other	% Landlord Maladministration
Anti-Social Behaviour	40%	43%	0%	75%
Complaints Handling	71%	87%	100%	85%
Health and Safety (inc. building safety)	51%	54%	0%	75%
Property Condition	50%	63%	63%	55%

#### Findings by Sub-Category | Cases Determined between April 2022 - March 2023 Table 3.4

Highlighted Service Delivery Sub-Categories only:

Sub-Category	Severe Maladministration	Maladministration	Service failure	Mediation	Redress	No maladministration	Outside Jurisdiction	Withdrawn	Total ▼
Responsive repairs – leaks / damp / mould	1	3	4	0	3	1	1	0	13
Responsive repairs - general	0	3	2	0	2	3	0	0	10
Responsive repairs – heating and hot water	0	1	1	0	3	0	0	1	6
Noise	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	3
Staff conduct	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	3
Electrical safety			1		0	1	0		2
Service charges – amount or account management	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	2
Asbestos	0	1	0		0	0	0	0	1
Decants (temp. or permanent)	0	0	0		0	1	0		1
Gas inspections and safety	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Total	1	9	10	0	10	8	3	1	42

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Table 3.5



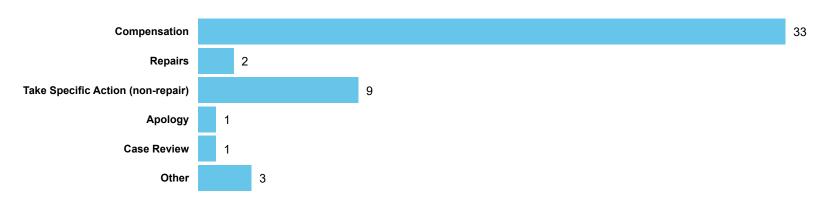




Delay in escalating or responding to complaint

#### Orders Made by Type | Orders on cases determined between April 2022 - March 2023

Table 4.1



#### Order Compliance | Order target dates between April 2022 - March 2023

Order	Within 3 Months				
Complete?	Count	%			
Complied	47	100%			
Total	47	100%			

#### Compensation Ordered | Cases Determined between April 2022 - March 2023

Table 5.1

Ordered
Recommended

