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**FOI Case No. 16:45**

Thank you for your letter of 04 February 2016 which was treated as a request for information under the terms of the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

**You requested:**

***Do you have the latest data on prison population by nationality in Northern Ireland?***

**Please find attached at Annex A the information you requested.**

**At committal it is not mandatory to provide details about nationality, therefore the figures supplied will not be fully accurate as individuals' may choose not to furnish this information.**

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If you wish to discuss this please contact the Records and Information Management Team using the contact details provided at the top of the first page. Please remember to quote your reference in any correspondence.

Yours sincerely,

***Records & Information Management Team***

## ANNEX A

Nationality	Total **
Algerian	2
British	170
British – England	24
British – Scotland	10
Chinese	17
Chinese (Hong Kong)	1
East Timor	2
Guinean (Guinea-Bissau)	1
Guyanese	1
Hungarian	1
Indian	1
Irish	154
Latvian	6
Lithuanian	35
Nigerian	4
Northern Irish	963
Polish	20
Portuguese	5
Romanian	16
Russian	2
Slovakia	2
Somalian	1
Tunisian	1
Turk/Turkish	1
Vietnamese	4
Zimbabwean	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>1445</b>

*\*\*figures as at 8 February 2016*