

FOI 175/2016

REQUEST AND RESPONSE

1. How many refugees your council has resettled to date under the Syrian Vulnerable Person Resettlement scheme.

We have not accommodated any refugees to date.

2. How many refugees your council has committed to take at a future date under the scheme.

The Council has not placed an upper or lower limit on the number of refugees which it is willing to assist under this scheme but has committed to assist Essex County Council as much as it can in helping to find accommodation for refugees under this programme. It is likely that the first assistance will be provided later this year.