

**QUESTION NO 19**

**By Councillor Key for answer by the  
Convener of the Housing,  
Homelessness and Fair Work  
Committee at a meeting of the  
Council on 21 March 2024**

**Question**           **(1)**   Of the 7,200 homes reported as long-term empty by City of Edinburgh in 'Housing statistics: Empty properties and second homes' report published by Scottish Government on 12 December 2023, how many of these were owned by the local authority or were last occupied as social housing via a housing association or other social housing provider?

**Answer**           **(1)**

**Question**           **(2)**   Of these properties, how many had been empty for a) six months or longer at the time information was collected for the report; and b) how many had been empty for twelve months or longer at the time information was collected for the report?

**Answer**           **(2)**