

**Table 99 Lettings to new tenants by housing associations by region**

Region	Lettings to new tenants						Lettings to homeless as a percentage of all lettings to new tenants					
	1996/97	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01	2001/02	1996/97	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01	2001/02
North East	4,701	4,662	5,008	4,476	4,700	6,700	10	5	4	4	3	2
Yorkshire & The Humber	7,545	8,537	8,642	8,317	7,658	7,635	13	7	7	6	6	6
North West	13,742	15,183	15,494	17,074	18,449	21,028	11	6	6	5	5	7
East Midlands	6,579	7,406	7,479	7,452	7,907	7,382	16	11	9	7	8	11
West Midlands	8,773	9,661	10,441	11,094	13,280	14,547	17	12	11	12	10	14
East	8,414	8,853	8,824	8,301	8,141	7,601	19	12	14	14	16	19
London	9,297	8,278	8,307	7,879	7,773	7,982	42	32	32	34	37	39
South East	14,139	13,734	13,342	12,820	12,195	12,111	27	19	19	17	20	25
South West	6,839	6,926	7,399	8,339	8,677	8,839	25	16	20	26	28	31
England	80,029	83,240	84,936	85,752	88,780	93,825	21	13	13	13	14	16

Source: Housing Statistics, Department of Transport, Local Government and the Regions.

Notes: Lettings figures are for lettings to new tenants only, excluding lettings to existing local authority tenants.