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December 2018 customer switching numbers available

The Gas Registry statistics recording gas consumer switching numbers for December 2018 are available [here](#). There were 4,080 completed customer switches during December 2018 – 286 less than November 2018, and 496 more than December 2017.

For the last couple of years switching numbers and the time they take to complete have been relatively stable. In the last 12 months we saw on average 3,808 switches taking place a month and they took on average two days to complete. During that time the highest numbers of switches occurred in November 2018 (4,366) and January 2018 saw the lowest (3,227).

REMINDER: GTAC Preliminary Assessment Paper (PAP) – consultation closes 18 January 2019

Gas Industry Co would like to remind stakeholders of the consultation on its preliminary assessment of the GTAC submitted on 31 October 2018. The deadline for submissions is **Friday, 18 January 2019**.

The PAP can be downloaded [here](#) and there is a submission template with the consultation questions at the same location.

REMINDER: Consultation on Gas Industry Co FY2020 Work Programme and Levy – submissions invited

Gas Industry Co would also like to remind stakeholders of the Consultation Paper: Consultation on Gas Industry Co FY2020 Work Programme and Levy issued on 18 December 2018. Submissions are invited by **5.00pm, Monday 11 February 2019** and can be made on Gas Industry Co's website [here](#).

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