



FOI Request Log July 2020 - September 2020

FOI Reference Number	FOI Request Date Received	Request Description	Requestor Category	Decision	Decision Date
FOI-2020-089	11/06/2020	Correspondence between the North West Regional Assembly and the Department regarding members expenses in the period 01/03/2020 to 01/06/2020.	Media	Refused	07/07/2020
FOI-2020-091	17/06/2020	Correspondence between legal firm McCann Fitzgerald and the Minister's office in the period 15/03/2020 to 17/06/2020.	Media	Part-Granted	07/07/2020
FOI-2020-094	15/06/2020	Records held by the Department regarding briefings on the 2020 Government formation talks, provided to the Green Party, Fine Gael, and Fianna Fáil, including analysis compiled by the Department on policy proposals.	Media	Granted	13/07/2020
FOI-2020-093	15/06/2020	Correspondence between the Department and Fianna Fáil, Fine Gael, or the Green Party, regarding their Programme for Government negotiations.	Oireachtas Member/ Councillor	Granted	13/07/2020
FOI-2020-097	24/06/2020	Minutes of meetings held by Mass Fatalities Group in the period 01/03/2020 to 22/06/2020. Copies of any documents distributed at these meetings. Records held by the Department relating to two temporary storage facilities for the Covid-19 deceased that were deployed in March 2020.	Media	Granted	14/07/2020
FOI-2020-095	15/06/2020	Correspondence sent and received by the Department Secretary General in relation to policy issues associated with the Programme for Government 2020 talks, in the period 03/05/2020 to 15/06/2020.	Media	Refused	14/07/2020
FOI-2020-090	17/06/2020	The minutes of the following groups in the period 01/11/2019 to 16/06/2020; the HAP Oversight Group; the Homeless Inter-agency Group and the Rebuilding Ireland Implementation Group.	Media	Part-Granted	15/07/2020

FOI-2020-103	30/06/2020	A copy of the Review into Certain Planning Matters in Respect of Donegal County Council by Mr Rory Mulcahy.	Media	Refused	20/07/2020
FOI-2020-085	02/06/2020	Correspondence between the Department and the Department of Finance or the Department of Public Expenditure and Reform with regard to the reappointment of the CEO of the Housing Finance Agency. Records held within the Department regarding the reappointment, in the period 01/2020 to 02/06/06/2020.	Media	Part-Granted	20/07/2020
FOI-2020-088	10/06/2020	Correspondence including memos, emails and minutes of meetings between the Department, Offaly County Council, the Developer, and Cluid Housing Association in the period 01/05/2017 to 10/06/2020.	Individual (Non-Personal)	Part-Granted	21/07/2020
FOI-2020-111	07/07/2020	Copies of commissioned research, reports, memos and briefing notes on the issue of a constitutional right to housing, in the period 01/07/2018 to 07/07/2020.	Oireachtas Member/Councillor	Part-Granted	30/07/2020
FOI-2020-115	16/07/2020	Correspondence between the Minister and the Land Development Agency in relation to Covid-19 in the period 01/03/2020 to 16/07/2020.	Media	Refused	31/07/2020
FOI-2020-114	09/07/2020	Records regarding Lobbying Return https://www.lobbying.ie/return/57846/ibec	Media	Granted	04/08/2020
FOI-2020-110	07/07/2020	A summary of the travel and subsistence costs of overseas travel by Met Éireann in the period 01/01/2019 to 07/07/2020.	Media	Granted	05/08/2020
FOI-2020-098	24/06/2020	Records regarding a phone call between Air BnB representatives and Special Adviser Jack O'Donnell in the period 01/01/2020 to 30/04/2020.	Media	Refused	07/08/2020
FOI-2020-113	13/07/2020	Emails sent by the Minister containing the words 'North Quays' (in reference to the Waterford North Quays) in the period 01/01/2018 to 29/02/2020.	Media	Granted	11/08/2020
FOI-2020-117	21/07/2020	Briefings or memos provided to the Minister regarding the suspension of rents and evictions due to Covid-19, including correspondence between the Minister and the Secretary General, in the period 01/03/2020 to 21/07/2020.	Media	Refused	19/08/2020
FOI-2020-124	22/07/2020	Correspondence between the Minister and Irish Water or Ervia, in the period 27/06/2020 to 22/07/2020.	Media	Part-Granted	19/08/2020
FOI-2020-123	22/07/2020	Correspondence between the Minister and the Construction Industry Federation or Irish Home Builders' Association, in the period 27/06/2020 and 22/07/2020.	Media	Granted	19/08/2020

FOI-2020-107	03/07/2020	Correspondence between Galway City Council and the Department regarding the purchase by the Council and the funding by the Department, of a bungalow in Co. Galway.	Individual (Non-Personal)	Part-Granted	20/08/2020
FOI-2020-131	12/08/2020	Correspondence between by the Minister and other Government Departments or agencies, in relation to co-living developments in the period 01/07/2020 to 31/07/2020.	Media	Part-Granted	24/08/2020
FOI-2020-121	27/07/2020	Records, including invoices, regarding requests for additional office space, furniture, decoration, or paintings by any officeholder, the Minister or Ministers of State, in the period 01/05/2020 to 27/07/2020.	Media	Refused	24/08/2020
FOI-2020-120	27/07/2020	Records regarding the purchase of IT equipment, electrical equipment or appliances on behalf of the Minister or Ministers of State, in period 01/05/2020 to 27/07/2020.	Media	Granted	25/08/2020
FOI-2020-119	23/07/2020	Records held between the Minister, his advisors and Departmental officials related to the answering of Parliamentary Question 14260/20.	Oireachtas Member/Councillor	Granted	26/08/2020
FOI-2020-106	30/06/2020	Documents 1- 150 of the study into construction costs in the housing sector undertaken by the Department.	Student/Lecturer	Part-Granted	26/08/2020
FOI-2020-108	03/07/2020	Records relating to the review of the arrangements for disbursing funding for the provision and refurbishment of Traveller specific accommodation in the period 01/07/2019 to 03/07/2020.	NGO	Part-Granted	26/08/2020
FOI-2020-129	07/08/2020	Minutes of the last four meetings of the Mortality National Oversight Group and chaired by the Department.	Media	Part-Granted	28/08/2020
FOI-2020-125	30/07/2020	Correspondence between the Peter McVerry Trust and the Department regarding policy measures to tackle homelessness and the lack of housing for single people, in the period 01/03/2020 to 30/07/2020.	Individual (Non-Personal)	Refused	28/08/2020
FOI-2020-122	30/07/2020	The application from Dublin City Council for funding for a White Water Rafting facility proposed for George's Dock, under the 2019 Urban Regional Development Fund, including all documents associated with the judgement and scoring of the application.	Media	Part-Granted	28/08/2020
FOI-2020-127	03/08/2020	Records relating to the Working Group established to review Sustainable Rural Housing Guidelines for Planning Authorities (2005) in light of the "Flemish Decree", in the period 01/05/2017 to 01/08/2020.	Individual (Non-Personal)	Refused	31/08/2020

FOI-2020-126	04/08/2020	Records prepared for the Secretary General or the Minister relating to co-living developments, in the period 01/01/2020 to 04/08/2020.	Media	Part-Granted	01/09/2020
FOI-2020-133	12/08/2020	Records submitted by Killasser group water scheme to the Department for the most recent upgrade works grant application.	Individual (Non-Personal)	Part-Granted	02/09/2020
FOI-2020-092	19/06/2020	Correspondence between the Department and the Department of Finance or the Land Development Agency regarding the recruitment of personnel to the LDA, in the period 13/09/2018 to 20/06/2020.	Media	Part-Granted	03/09/2020
FOI-2020-130	10/08/2020	Records created between 01/03/2019 and 08/08/2020 relating to the fire at Donaghy's Mill, Drogheda, Co. Louth.	Individual (Non-Personal)	Refused	04/09/2020
FOI-2020-132	07/08/2020	Records regarding the selection of the Ratoath Outer Relief Road as a project for the allocation of LIHAF funding, including selection criteria, representations to the Minister, minutes of meetings, correspondence between the Department and public representatives/ development companies, in the period 01/01/2017 to 31/03/2019.	Oireachtas Member/Councillor	Part-Granted	04/09/2020
FOI-2020-139	26/08/2020	Correspondence to and from the offices of the Minister and Ministers of State regarding the Oireachtas Golf Society, in the period 01/03/2020 and 26/08/2020.	Media	Refused	08/09/2020
FOI-2020-134	17/08/2020	Records regarding pre application consultations in relation to the Greater Dublin Drainage Project, including FS6843, FS007093 and any other relevant pre application.	Individual (Non-Personal)	Granted	10/09/2020
FOI-2020-135	19/08/2020	Records regarding the inclusion of the Claureen Link Road for funding under the Local Infrastructure Housing Activation Fund (LIHAF).	Individual (Non-Personal)	Granted	16/09/2020
FOI-2020-128	06/08/2020	Correspondence regarding access to homeless services and the provision of homeless services to Roma and Romanian nationals, in the period 01/07/2020 to 06/08/2020.	Business	Part-Granted	18/09/2020
FOI-2020-137	25/08/2020	Records relating to scenario planning for the holding of a general election during a pandemic, in the period 01/03/2020 to 25/08/2020.	Media	Part-Granted	21/09/2020
FOI-2020-142	27/08/2020	Copies of the mileage claim forms submitted by Minister of State Damien English for the calendar year 2020.	Media	Part-Granted	22/09/2020

FOI-2020-140	26/08/2020	Correspondence and minutes of any meetings of the Department's group of delivery partners for social housing, regarding the supply of social and affordable housing and plans to increase it.	Media	Granted	23/09/2020
FOI-2020-143	31/08/2020	Correspondence between the Minister and the Chairperson of the Residential Tenancies Board (RTB) in the period 01/06/2020 to 31/08/2020.	Media	Granted	23/09/2020
FOI-2020-157	03/09/2020	Rebuilding Ireland Home Loans statistics regarding the aggregate value of loans paid from inception to 30/06/2020.	Individual (Non-Personal)	Granted	25/09/2020
FOI-2020-141	27/08/2020	Documents 151-297 of the study into construction costs in the housing sector undertaken by the Department.	Student/Lecturer	Part-Granted	28/09/2020
FOI-2020-148	03/09/2020	Records regarding media training for the Minister and Ministers of State, in the period 27/06/2020 to 03/09/2020.	Individual (Non-Personal)	Refused	28/09/2020
FOI-2020-144	01/09/2020	Records regarding the naming of storms for the upcoming storm season, including external communications with the UK Met Office and the Royal Netherlands Meteorological Institute (KNMI), in the period 01/01/2020 to 01/09/2020.	Media	Granted	29/09/2020