

REFERENCE NUMBER	REQUEST DATE	REQUESTER CATEGORY	SUMMARY OF REQUEST	DECISION DATE	DECISION
0001/2021	04/01/2021	Other	<p>All records held by this department as they relate to the provision of contracts for 'public relations' or 'crisis management' or 'press work' in 2020</p> <p>These records should include the nature and scope of contract provided, the values of the contracts, named parties to the contract and the tender references and documentation associated with the aforementioned contracts. These records should also include all correspondence between Dept. officials and the applicants for the contracts to include emails, text messages and WhatsApp messages"</p>	01/02/2021	Refused
0002/2021	04/01/2021	Journalist	<p>All documents and internal and external communications, in all formats, mentioning or making reference to the Defence Forces Review 2020</p> <p>All documents and internal and external communications relating to the article titled "An Examination of Civilian Governance of the Armed Forces in Ireland and Other Neutral EU States" by Brian Clarke.</p>	01/02/2021	Part-granted
0006/2021	15/01/2021	Journalist	A copy of all audits completed by the internal audit division in 2020.	12/03/2021	Part-granted
0007/2021	19/01/2021	Other	A copy of the cost per flight hour of the PC12 aircraft, the total broken down into fixed and variable per flight hour costs.	22/01/2021	Refused
0008/2021	19/01/2021	Other	Number of engineering staff in your organisation who were paid or reimbursed either in part or full their annual membership fees for Engineers Ireland for the years 2018 and 2019.	16/02/2021	Part-granted

			A list of all and any other professional subscriptions or membership fees (broken down by name of institution, and staff grade and number of each separately) either paid or reimbursed, party or fully, during 2018 and 2019.		
0009/2021	19/01/2021	Journalist	How much did the Defence Forces spent on providing flood assistance during 2016 to County Roscommon? - Specifically looking for information relating to Lough Funshinagh. Any comments or explanatory notes to put the expenditure in context would be very welcome.	20/01/2021	Refused
0010/2021	25/01/2021	Journalist	The release of correspondence between Simon Coveney and representatives of Huawei between 1 September and 31 December last regarding the company's attempts to have an introductory meeting with the Department. Also notes of any phone calls or minutes of any meetings between Huawei Ireland and the minister regarding the same.	22/02/2021	Part-granted
0011/2021	25/01/2021	Journalist	A copy of meeting minutes and related email and letter correspondence regarding meetings between the Dept. and Huawei, between Sep 1 2020 and Dec 31 2020. Details outlined on the lobbying register.	22/02/2021	Part-granted
0012/2021	28/01/2021	Journalist	Correspondence (sent and received) between Huawei Ireland and Secretary general Jacqui McCrum and Minister Simon Coveney, between 1st September 2020 and 10th January 2021. Minutes of any meetings between Huawei Ireland and Secretary general Jacqui McCrum and Minister Simon Coveney, between 1st September 2020 and 10th January 2021. Any briefings prepared by the department for Minister Coveney or others, for any meetings with Huawei Ireland between 1st September 2020 and 10th January 2021. Any	22/02/2021	Part-granted

			internal departmental correspondence on the topic of Huawei Ireland, or issues raised by Huawei Ireland, or correspondence from Huawei Ireland, between 1st September 2020 and 10th January 2021.		
0013/2021	27/01/2021	Journalist	A copy of the Air Corps Employee control framework / CS4 establishment. A copy of any documentation from the DF to DOD which requests a change to the establishment in the Air Corps to provide for Mission System Operators or Intelligence Analysts on the PC12 aircraft for No 1 Operations Wing.	24/02/2121	Refused
0014/2021	01/02/2021	Journalist	A copy of the costings estimate used for the new Pilatus PC-12 to calculate cost per flying hour. - a spreadsheet/database/record of the number of missions carried out so far by the PC-12 to include a category e.g. transport of lab samples to Germany or even just a categorisation like medical etc.	26/02/2021	Part-granted
0015/2021	05/02/2021	Other	Any contact since December 2020 between the Dept. of Transport and Dept. of Defence be that by email, or text message, that concerns the Irish Air Corps becoming involved in Operating Search and Rescue services.	12/03/2021	Part-granted
0016/2021	08/02/2021	Clients	How many meetings have been held between the Govt. Nominated contact Veteran bodies Organisation of National Ex-service men and Irish United Nations Veterans Association. In regard to producing the, Irish Veterans Charter. Dates and times and locations of meetings. What proposals have been agreed between the bodies? What plans are there to publish the Agreed charter as laid down in the Govt time line as stated in the white paper?	08/03/2021	Refused

			If any delays in the expected publication of the Irish Veterans Charter and if a publish date has been agreed.		
0017/2021	08/02/2021	Other	<p>A Copy of Administration Instruction C.S.4., along with any correspondence the Department has received pertaining to this Instruction from its inception.</p> <p>Any correspondence sent or received by the Secretary General of the Department of Defence pertaining to the publication of the Defence Forces Review 2020.</p> <p>Any correspondence sent or received by the Civil Servant responsible for Communications in the Department of Defence pertaining to the publication of the Defence Forces Review 2020.</p> <p>Any correspondence sent or received by the Special Advisors of the Department of Defence pertaining to the publication of the Defence Forces Review 2020.</p> <p>Any correspondence sent or received by the Assistant Secretary for International Affairs and Legislation of the Department of Defence pertaining to the publication of the Defence Forces Review 2020.</p> <p>Any correspondence sent or received by the Assistant Secretary for Strategic Planning, Capability Development and Corporate Support of the Department of Defence pertaining to the publication of the Defence Forces Review 2020.</p> <p>Any correspondence sent or received by the Director of Emergency, Operations and Infrastructure Oversight of the Department of Defence pertaining to the publication of the Defence Forces Review 2020.</p> <p>Any correspondence sent or received by the Assistant Secretary for Defence Capability (People) of the Department</p>	03/03/2021	Part-granted

			of Defence pertaining to the publication of the Defence Forces Review 2020.		
0018/2021	08/02/2021	Other	Defence Forces Superannuation Schemes, or information on disability benefits under the Army Pensions Acts and the procedures for applying for same in relation to soldiers serving from 2004 to present.	N/A	Withdrawn
0019/2021	12/02/2021	Business/Interest Group	Copies of all records held referring or relating to all communications between ABO WIND IRELAND LTD and the Department of Defence in relation to a proposed Windfarm on Kilranelagh Hill. Seeking all such records for the period 1 Jan 2019 to date of receipt of the request.	22/02/2021	Granted
0020/2021	15/02/2021	Other	"Air Corps Air Traffic Controllers: A joint civil/military Working Group is currently sitting in order to propose courses of action for the future guaranteed provision of Air Traffic Control services in Baldonnell. However, this Working Group will focus on training and staffing matters as opposed to financial remuneration issues"	10/03/2021	Part-granted
0021/2021	16/02/2021	Other	Copies of all correspondence sent or received by the Secretary General or Assistant Secretaries that reference the (now defunct) Twitter account @DefenceIreland (Defence Ireland) or other anonymous Twitter accounts critical of the department. To cover the period 2018-2021 and to include current and former staff.	26/03/2021	Part-granted
0023/2021	17/02/2021	Journalist	Copies of all records held referring or relating to the decision to use an Air Corps plane for the following deportation flight (as per this newspaper article: https://www.irishtimes.com/news/crime-and-law/air-corps-used-to-deport-criminals-to-lithuania-due-to-pandemic-1.4477397)	N/A	Transferred

0025/2021	23/02/2021	Journalist	All correspondence noted in this lobbying return: https://www.lobbying.ie/return/68701/huawei-ireland Any memos, internal correspondence, reports created as a result of this correspondence. Meeting minutes created as a result of this meeting and any follow up documentation.	16/03/2021	Part-granted
0027/2021	01/03/2021	Journalist	The overall amount spent on UAVs between 1 January 2018 and date of request. The amount spent per each individual UAV procured in that period. The model name of each individual UAV procured in that period. The overall budget for any drone project/team/division per year during the same period.	30/03/2021	Granted
0028/2021	01/03/2021	Journalist	A spreadsheet/database/record of the amount paid out by the department/Defence Forces in compensation and the number of claims for the period 2018, 2019, 2020. I would like this information broken down in as much detail as possible while protecting personal information e.g. by claim type, award amount, number of cases, year, whether claim involved DF member or civilian etc.	N/A	Withdrawn
0030/2021	03/03/2021	Oireachtas / Public Representative	Please provide full details of all Department of Defence employees by Grade from Secretary General to Clerical Officer for the years 1994 to 2020.	N/A	Withdrawn
0031/2021	03/03/2021	Others	Under FOI, I am requesting information as to the allocation Naval Service enlisted resources assigned to the position of Stewards. By definition, those enlisted resources who undertake duties full - time to serving the needs of Commissioned Officers, either within the confines of : a. The Officers mess in Haulbowline b. Assigned to such duties aligned to the Wardroom of Naval Ships, either operational or non - operational.	N/A	Transferred

			To aid the response, I am seeking the numbers only of ratings at Ordinary (OS) or Able (AB) rank.		
0032/2021	18/03/2021	Journalist	Copies of all records held relating or referring to the decision to vaccinate Defence Force members ahead of overseas duties. This request to cover the period 1 February 2021 to date of receipt of the request.	20/04/2021	Part-Granted
0035/2021	25/03/2021	Journalist	Copies of all records held referring or relating to a press query submitted to the Dept. of Defence regarding the evacuation of officers from a mission in Goma. Copies of all records held referring or relating to the management/processing of an FOI request.	27/04/2021	Part-Granted