

## FOI Requests - 2017

Ref No	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI/1/1/1158	28-Dec-16	Interest Groups	<p>1. Has the site for Clonmel Garda Station been finalised at Kickham Barracks, Clonmel?</p> <p>2. This project is to be funded by way of a public private partnership project as set out in the Garda Building Refurbishment Programme 2016-21, has the private part of the proposed partnership been confirmed and if so who is the partner?</p> <p>3. When will any works commence at the new site and when will the Gardai at Clonmel be in a position to move to the new site?</p> <p>4. What has been the total cost of refurbishment and maintenance at Clonmel Garda Station from 2002 to present day?</p>	25-Jan-17	Part Granted
FOI/1/1/1159	03-Jan-17	Journalist	<p>1) A list of Garda Stations that received refurbishment and or additional accommodation works where the costs of the works were in excess of €10,000 in the years 2016. Please name station and a brief description of works that were carried out at each station</p> <p>2) A list of refurbishment and or additional accommodation works that were carried out either the Garda HQ Dublin and or Garda Training College, Templemore in the years 2016 where the value of works were in excess of €10,000. Please provide a brief description what works were carried out at each location in Q2</p> <p>3) The annual budget allocation for the maintenance and or additional accommodation works for Garda Stations in the years 2012,2013,2014, 2015 and 2016; Please provide the amount that was actually spent and the percentage of the funding that was spent in each year eg In 2015 the budget was €20m but only €15m of that budget was spent so therefore 75% of the funding was spent</p> <p>4) If the budget for such works are not spent in that year for such works and their is still money remaining at end of year, is the outstanding amount automatically transferred into the following year budget or is the outstanding money returned to the OPW central funds.</p>	30-Jan-17	Part Granted
FOI/1/1/1160	04-Jan-17	Journalist	<p>Please provide information regarding any articles - including paintings, monuments, sculptures, etc - that are either the property of the OPW or managed/monitored by the OPW on behalf of the state, that have, in the years 2015 and 2016, been: damaged, or; gone missing for any period of time. Please provide information regarding any cost accrued in the repair or relocation of these items; please provide information regarding how they came to be damaged/lost in the first instance and any delays in notification of same; and please provide any information regarding any items that are still missing at the time of this request and the value of same. If there is any further information regarding any sanctions applied to individuals or departments/bodies etc regarding the above, please also include this as part of this request, as well as any related documentation.</p>	30-Jan-17	Granted
FOI/1/1/1161	05-Jan-17	Journalist	<p>As the lead agency in charge of the managing and maintaining of the State's property portfolio, on that basis how much did it take to do just that on managing and maintaining state owned buildings in Co Longford in 2015 and 2016 with a breakdown on the identities, locations and costs of each.</p>	01-Feb-17	Granted
FOI/1/1/1162	09-Jan-17	Journalist	<p>I am looking for any records relating to the refurbishment of the Seanad.</p> <p>I am particularly looking for any records relating to estimates on the cost of various works.</p>		Withdrawn
FOI/1/1/1163	10-Jan-17	Journalist	<p>A copy of the final review of the cost of providing parking for civil and public servants that was ordered in 2012. The number parking spaces rented and amount spent on renting car parking spaces for civil and public servants in the years 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 and 2016. This should include, where possible, a breakdown of how many of those spaces are in each county. The number of car parking spaces for civil and public servants that the state owns</p>	20-Feb-17	Part Granted

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FOI/1/1164	11-Jan-17	Other	I wish to obtain copies of any records held by the OPW that provide details of the musical accompaniment to a particular film being shown in Kilmainham Gaol as part of the exhibits.	03-Feb-17	Refused
FOI/1/1165	16-Jan-17	Journalist	Under the Freedom of Information Act, I would like to request copies of records created since January 1st, 2015, relating to the redevelopment/funding of the Irish Arts Centre in New York.	09-Feb-17	Part Granted
FOI/1/1166	N/A	N/A	Personal	N/A	N/A
FOI/1/1167	23-Jan-17	Other	We request access to a copy of the file relating to the Lower Lee (Cork City) Certified Drainage Scheme in the County of Cork.	24-Feb-17	Refused
FOI/1/1168	24-Jan-17	Business	I previously made a Freedom of Information request regarding your IT network infrastructure for Office of Public Works at Jonathan Swift Street, Trim, C15 NX36 in April 2013. As the information would have almost certainly have changed since you provided it please could you update the information listed on the attached documents and advise of any changes.	16-Feb-17	Granted
FOI/1/1169	N/A	N/A	Personal	N/A	N/A
FOI/1/1170	30-Jan-17	Journalist	Copies of any reports, briefing documents or similar relating to unanticipated structural issues that emerged in National Gallery during the renovation project.	N/A	Refused
FOI/1/1171	31-Jan-17	Journalist	Details of all expenditure associated with the fitting out of the personal office of the Comptroller & Auditor General and the boardroom of the new offices in Spencer Dock. To include a list of all items purchased for these rooms and their cost.	17-Feb-17	Granted
FOI/1/1172	01-Feb-17	Journalist	Copies of invoices/receipts associated with the following transactions 0050154656 PL 201507 CP01 117579.39 0 000001 40507 07072015 06072015 Merrion Sq 93 0050163375 PL 201509 CP01 114312.51 0 000001 40507 22092015 21092015 Spencer Dock 0050163376 PL 201509 CP01 106733.25 0 000001 40507 22092015 21092015 Spencer Dock 0050136062 PL 201501 CP01 101845.23 0 000001 40503 29012015 28012015 Merrion Sq 93 0050152530 PL 201506 CP01 45,593.64 0 000001 40507 18/06/2015 17/06/2015 The Guild Building	23-Feb-17	Part Granted
FOI/1/1173	08-Feb-17	Journalist	I was wondering if it would be possible to find out how much the OPW has spent on the fitout of the offices for the Central Bank at Spencer Dock, and whether it would be possible to get a detailed explanation of what has been involved in the project from an OPW perspective.		Withdrawn
FOI/1/1174	09-Feb-17	Journalist	All records exchanged between the joint receivers, the joint agents, NAMA, and/or CIE relating to the selection of the preferred bidder of the development site at Spencer Dock, Dublin 1, in the period from the Bid Date of 7 April 2016 to 31 May 2016. The criteria used in selecting the successful bidder in respect of the development site at Spencer Dock, Dublin 1, including any weightings applied to the criteria. The evidence submitted by the successful bidder with its bid in or around 7 April 2016 in respect of funding available to the successful bidder to allow it complete the transaction. All drafts of any reports or other records exchanged between the joint agents to the joint receivers, NAMA or CIE which include recommendations as to which bidder should be successful. All records that refer to other bidders and/or their funders submitted by or on behalf of the successful bidder to the joint agents or the joint receivers in respect of the development site at Spencer Dock, Dublin 1, in the period from the Bid Date of 7 April 2016 to 31 May 2016. All information pertaining to compliance of the sale of the site at Spencer Dock, Dublin 1 with the requirements of section 172 of the National Asset Management Agency Act 2009. I accept that all information related to pricing of the bids can be redacted.	06-Mar-17	Refused
FOI/1/1175	10-Feb-17	Other	I hereby request under the FOI act, documentation of the calculation of the total water storage capacity of the Lee hydro scheme.		Withdrawn

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FOI/1/1176			Personal		
FOI/1/1177			Personal		
FOI/1/1178	20-Feb-17	Journalist	Aon taifid (ó 2013 go dáta) a bhaineann le cóiríocht oifig Foras na Gaeilge Any records (2013 to date) in relation to Foras na Gaeilge office accommodation	14-Mar-17	Granted
FOI/1/1179	20-Feb-17	Journalist	A list of external legal practitioners (solicitors/law firms and barristers) paid in 2015 for services carried out on behalf of the Office of Public Works, including the name of the practitioner, the sum paid and, where possible, a general description of the work carried out. A list of external legal practitioners (solicitors/law firms and barristers) paid in 2016 for services carried out on behalf of the Office of Public Works, including the name of the practitioner, the sum paid and, where possible, a general description of the work carried out.	20-Mar-17	Granted
FOI/1/1180	21-Feb-17	Other	The number of visitors and the amount of revenue generated through each heritage site under the remit of the OPW in the year 2016	20-Mar-17	Refused
FOI/1/1181	02-Mar-17	Other	In accordance with Section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act, we request access to records, which are non-personal, related to the Lower Lee (Cork City) Drainage Scheme.	28-Apr-17	Part Granted
FOI/1/1182	03-Mar-17	Other	The amount that the OPW have paid rent for a building that is no longer occupied by state agency and is still paying rent on that building in the years 2015 and 2016; Please include the address of the building and the name of landlord of the building.	30-Mar-17	Granted
FOI/1/1183	06-Mar-17	Journalist	Copies of any records, to include emails, letters, memos, faxes, reports, submissions and so on, relating to OPW involvement in greenway plan for East Galway.		Withdrawn
FOI/1/1184	06-Mar-17	Journalist	Copies of all correspondence between your Department and former Taoiseach Brian Cowen with regard to sitting for official portrait. Copies of all other records relating to the commissioning of an official portrait of Mr Cowen.	03-Apr-17	Refused
FOI/1/1185	06-Mar-17	Other	RE: Lower Lee (Cork City) Drainage Scheme. We are seeking full disclosure of all matters relating to the conservation aspect of this project and in particular all studies and conservation reports on Cork's quays and quay walls. We are also seeking full disclosure as to whether or not the proposed works are to be carried out with due reference to ICOMOS Charters and other international charters.	17-Apr-17	Part Granted
FOI/1/1186	14-Mar-17	Other	All Documents relating to: Architect Design Statements, Visual Impact Appraisal & Analysis for the new (currently under construction) Court House Building at Linen Hall/Fr. Connolly Way, Drogheda, Co. Louth	07-Apr-17	Part Granted
FOI/1/1187	14-Mar-17	Journalist	Contact between the Department and John Moran of RHH International. Please can you provide me with records (memos, emails, meeting agendas, presentations, briefing notes, etc.) pertaining to the contacts mentioned in these lobbying returns: 1. 1 Jan, 2016 to 30 Apr, 2016 - contacts with Simon Harris <a href="https://www.lobbying.ie/return/6313/rhh-international">https://www.lobbying.ie/return/6313/rhh-international</a>	07-Apr-17	Refused
FOI/1/1188	14-Mar-17	Business	I would like to request details of the winning tender for the below tender for the collection and delivery of exam furniture for the year 2016: PARTICULARS OF A CONTRACT PROPOSED TO BE ENTERED INTO by the COMMISSIONERS OF PUBLIC WORKS IN IRELAND through THE DIRECTOR of FURNITURE SERVICES for THE COLLECTION & DELIVERY of EXAM FURNITURE ON BEHALF OF OFFICE of PUBLIC WORKS	19-Apr-17	Part Granted

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FOI/1/1/1189	15-Mar-17	Journalist	1) A datadump of all the entitlements that TDs in Ireland are entitled under the 'Parliamentary Standard Allowance'. I request this data be release in an open, accessible format- CSV/XLS/XLSX. 2) A breakdown of whether TDs entitlement to free parking around the capital city are included under the Parliamentary Standard Allowance', whether it falls under Travel and accommodation allowance or the public representation allowance. I also request this data to be released in an open, accessible format- CSV/XLS/XLSX. 3)A statement of whether TDs can continue to avail of free parking even though retired. -CSV/XLS/XLSX. 4) A statement of whether there includes restricted areas of which TDs can avail of free parking around the city. 5)A file stating what a TD must have on them or placed on their car to avail of said entitlement.	15-Mar-17	Transferred
FOI/1/1/1190	15-Mar-17	Oireachtas/Public R	In relation to the sale of land and building for the proposed new Garda Station in Glanmire, Co Cork, I request details of: 1. The date the contract was signed for and on behalf of the Office of Public Works 2. The date when the purchase was completed 3. The total interest paid on the purchase price by the Office of Public Works/The Department to the vendor 4. The total amount of legal costs paid by the OPW/Department of Justice to the Solicitors for the Vendors		Withdrawn
FOI/1/1/1191	21-Mar-17	Journalist	I would like to request the release of details pertaining to Sean Canney's travel costs to China for St. Patrick's Day, in particular: The cost of the Minister's flights to and from China (with an each-way breakdown if possible) The cost of the Minister's accommodation during his stay in China. Any other costs for the Minister's trip, including travel within China and the presentation of a bowl of shamrock, if possible.		Withdrawn
FOI/1/1/1192	22-Mar-17	Journalist	I would like a copy of all correspondence related to flooding between the OPW and Roscommon County Council over the last 12 months.	06-Jun-17	Part Granted
FOI/1/1/1193	28-Mar-17	Business	Copies of all communication in any form whatsoever and howsoever stored between Office of Public Works, its servants or agents and Department of Transport Tourism and Sport, Mr Neil Forde and Marine Survey office in the period Jan 1 2010 to Dec 31 2016.		Refused
FOI/1/1/1194	27-Mar-17	Journalist	The following information relating to the new Central Bank Headquarters on North Wall Quay: All documents and correspondence relating to the installation in the headquarters or around the headquarters of devices designed to boost mobile phone signals in the building. This information should include: a) calls for tenders for the installation of such devices. b) cost and specifics of the installation of such devices. c) documents or correspondence relating to the preliminary discussions about the need for such devices. d) Any other documents or correspondence relating to the installation of such devices.		Withdrawn
FOI/1/1/1195	30-Mar-17	Journalist	1. The number of vacant OPW buildings in Counties Cavan and Monaghan on March 30th 2017. 2. A breakdown of the amount spent on the upkeep of all OPW buildings in Cavan and Monaghan in 2015 and 2016, giving details of the specific work carried out on each specific building.	25-May-17	Part Granted
FOI/1/1/1196	12-Apr-17	Other	Please provide the pre-demolition asbestos report relating to Scoil Bhríde, Ballyroan, Co Laois. Please also provide any other relevant documents, correspondence or meeting notes regarding asbestos surveys before during or after demolition and construction work. Planning permission for the demolition and construction was granted in 2013 with Laois County Council Planning Reference 13347. Demolition work commenced in January 2017.	05-May-17	Granted

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FOI/1/1197	06-Apr-17	Other	Copies of all correspondence relating to 'GARDA TERRACE', this is to include all internal review decisions made in relation to GARDA TERRACE, all paper, e-mails, minutes of meetings, briefings and legal advice sought and given in relation to Garda Terrace to and from all departments. I also request a breakdown of the amount of money which has been spent on renovating/maintaining the whole block of Garda Terrace, Phoenix Park. I would request that this information is broken down into exact works carried out, by whom, the cost of each piece of work, when completed etc. I request an individual breakdown of this work not the cumulative amount. I request this information for the dates between 1st May 1994 and 1st January 2017.	01-Jun-17	Part Granted
FOI/1/1198	18-Apr-17	Other	For information on the cost of running/expenditure of each of the the National monuments in the care of the OPW that have a guide service/facility in counties Longford, Leitrim and Roscommon last year, with a breakdown by each facility and a breakdown of the costs of running each facilities, to include staff wages, building maintenance, etc. For information on the income taken in at each of the aforementioned facilities last year.	16-May-17	Granted
FOI/1/1199	18-Apr-17	Journalist	I am seeking access to records held by the Kilmainham Gaol Museum, under the Freedom of Information Act 2014. I wish to request access to the following records: (1) What number of the Kilmainham Gaol Museum's staff have availed of counselling from the Department Welfare officer between 2000-2015? (If you could provide the total number of staff between these years for context too, please.) (2) How many sick leave days were taken between 2000-2015 due to stress, anxiety, depression or workplace or work-related illnesses? (Could the total number of days off be provided for comparison, and the figures be divided per year, i.e. In 2000, there were X days taken off due to stress, out of a total of Y days off in total.) (3) Could the number of harassment, bullying or abuse complaints made about staff at the Museum by other staff members between 2000-2015 be made available (divided per year and categorized per type of complaint)? (4) How many staff members have resigned/left the job from 2000-2015, citing problems with other staff members as the reason for their departure? (5) What is the most common reason employees give for leaving their role at Kilmainham Gaol Museum?	10-May-17	Granted
FOI/1/1200	06-Apr-17	Other	Records relating to Cork City Flood Relief Scheme	30-May-17	Part Granted
FOI/1/1201	20-Apr-17	Journalist	A copy of all briefing and position papers, and correspondence, regarding the use of drones on OPW controlled sites and lands. The documents should cover the period January 1st, 2015 to the present date.	18-May-17	Part Granted
FOI/1/1202	24-Apr-17	Journalist	Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following: Copies of any reports/memoranda/recommendations/submissions relating to the rock fall discovered at Sceillig Mhichil earlier this month.	22-May-17	Granted
FOI/1/1203	25-Apr-17	Journalist	All records pertaining to the National Museum's Collection Resource Centre in Swords. (It may also be referred to as the Old Motorola Building Swords Storage Facility) between 1st July 2007 and 31st July 2009. Records should include but not be limited to: copies of the minutes of meeting-both board and otherwise; as well as any copies of reports, correspondence; (electronic and otherwise) and other documentation pertaining to the Facility.	n/a	Withdrawn

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FOI/1/1/1204	26-May-17	Journalist	In accordance with section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act, 2014, I wish to request access to the following records that I believe to be held by the Office of Public Works: A list of heritage sites under the remit of the OPW along with - <input type="checkbox"/> the number of visitors annually for 2014, 2015 and 2016; <input type="checkbox"/> the revenue generated by each of site annually for 2014, 2015 and 2016; <input type="checkbox"/> the cost incurred for maintaining these sites annually for 2014, 2015 and 2016 broken down into categories such as staff salary, construction, repairs etc; <input type="checkbox"/> The estimated value of each heritage site - if such valuations were every conducted	22-Jun-17	Granted
FOI/1/1/1205			Personal		
FOI/1/1/1206	26-May-17	Journalist	In accordance with section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act, 2014, I wish to request access to the following records that I believe to be held by the Office of Public Works: • A list of all offices and buildings that are maintained by the OPW and the annual cost of maintenance for 2014, 2015 and 2016	02-Jun-17	Part Granted
FOI/1/1/1207	26-May-17	Journalist	In accordance with section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act, 2014, I wish to request access to the following records that I believe to be held by the Office of Public Works: • A list of all Gardai properties, whether they are owned or leased, and the cost of those, if any, that are leased and the estimated value of the properties owned - if possible • A list of all vacant properties under the control of the OPW, the cost of maintaining the properties and there estimated value	11-May-17	Withdrawn
FOI/1/1/1208			Personal		
FOI/1/1/1209	02-Jun-17	Journalist	I wish to request access to the following records under the Freedom of Information Act: (1) Copies of all pest control reports and other documentation received from pest-control companies in respect of services provided at Áras an Uachtaráin during each of the years 2013, 2014, 2015 and 2016; to include service reports, inspection reports, invoices, and other relevant records (2) Copies of all pest control reports and other documentation received from pest-control companies in respect of services provided at Farnleigh House during each of the years 2013, 2014, 2015 and 2016; to include service reports, inspection reports, invoices, and other relevant records (3) Records of the total amount spent on pest-control services provided at Áras an Uachtaráin and Farnleigh House in each of the years 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 and 2016	18-May-17	Withdrawn
FOI/1/1/1210	10-May-17	Business/Interest	We are seeking disclosure of the full tendering process used by OPW's National Historic Properties Division when deciding which contractor to use for the Gardening duties in Leinster House	07-Jun-17	Granted
FOI/1/1/1211	12-May-17	Journalist	Copies of any correspondence between OPW and An Garda Síochána relating to the rental of OPW lands and failure to pass on the money earned to OPW. Copies of any reports, briefing notes, submissions, and so on prepared relating to the above.	05-Jul-17	Granted
FOI/1/1/1212	12-May-17	Journalist	A spreadsheet/database of all of the vacant office/lands currently leased by the OPW. Details of the address, the length of the lease, how long they have been vacant for, and how much is being paid each year for each property.	16-May-17	Withdrawn

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FOI/1/1/1213	12-May-17	Other	I refer to the earlier very successful visit of the Prince of Wales and party to the city of Kilkenny, today. During that visit, A flag of unknown entity flew from Kilkenny Castle; As the OPW is the custodian of Kilkenny Castle for the people of this State, I seek all records in all formats concerning the decision to fly this flag above Kilkenny castle on this day , to include any related internal OPW correspondence and correspondence between other state bodies and or any other entities, or individuals; plus any documents that would identify the seigneurial significance of this Flag, the provenance and indeed the ownership of this flag, and ultimately who made the decision to fly this flag. Plus, I seek any documents etc that may explain why the tricolour of this State was not flown on this significant event. In short, I feel all information and related documents and correspondence concerning, "that flag".	06-Jun-17	Granted
FOI/1/1/1214	15-May-17	Other	I would like you to provide me the following information if possible ( <i>in relation to Emo Court</i> ), under the Freedom of Information Act. 1. What are the OPW's lock-up procedures? 2. What is the expected response time of Key Guard Security to an issue at EMO court? 3. How many times have Key Guard security needed to be called to let people out of Emo Court? 4. You state that the exit gate is to remain open after the these times, this is very vague, can you provide me with an exact time that Key Guard Security have been advise to lock the gates? eg 21:05, 21:30, or the conditions that Key Guard Security have been advised must be met in order to lock the gates? Has Key Guard Security been advised to lock the gates regardless of people and cars still on the grounds as the security guard stated?	12-Jun-17	Granted
FOI/1/1/1215	15-May-17	Staff	Please provide me with all submissions and recommendations made by Tony Smyth in 2016 with regard to the post of Director of Engineering Services.	08-Jun-17	Granted
FOI/1/1/1216	17-May-17	Journalist	I am seeking copies of all correspondence, emails and teleconference calls minutes, between the OPW and Caranua regarding Caranua's current premises at Frederick Court Dublin 1, the issue of moving premises, rent at each, costs of the upkeep of each and the cost of decoration and upkeep of all or any premises for Caranua, since January 2013.	n/a	Withdrawn
FOI/1/1/1217	18-May-17	Other	In accordance with the Freedom of Information Act, please now provide me with copies of all proposals, plans drawings, records, correspondence, and assessments pertaining to the proposal to develop the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade site at Iveagh House, 78-81 St Stephen's Green, Dublin 2. D02 VYF53 to include the plans, drawings and assessments for the redevelopment of the site at 77 St. Stephens Green, Dublin 2. I also require the proposals, records, plans, drawings, correspondence and assessments for any and all development/redevelopment of the Department of Foreign Affairs, Iveagh House, 78-81 St Stephen's Green, Dublin 2. Specifically, I require the records which record the scope and nature of the proposed overall development (incorporating 78-81 St Stephens Green) and any proposed revised development of the site/premises at 78-81 St Stephens Green in light of the failure by the State to acquire the property at 77 St. Stephens Green.	12-Jul-17	Refused
FOI/1/1/1218	22-May-17	Other	A) A list of all the buildings, owned by the OPW, that the OPW currently has leased to others in each of counties Longford, Leitrim and Roscommon, including details of the tenant, the annual rent, the name and address of each building and what it's currently used for.	19-Jun-17	Granted
FOI/1/1/1219	12-May-17	Journalist	Details of all costs associated with the most recent renovation/refurbishment work carried out in the public areas of the LH2000 building, including the installation of a new reception area.	n/a	Withdrawn

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FOI/1/1/1220	22-May-17	Other	B) A list of all buildings, owned by others, that the OPW currently has rented in each of counties Longford, Leitrim and Roscommon, including details of the owner, the annual rent, the name and address of each building and what's it's currently used for.	19-Jun-17	Part Granted
FOI/1/1/1221	29-May-17	Oireachtas/Public Representative	All records related to the timeframe for implementation of Phase 2 the South Ennis Flood Relief Scheme including correspondence with public representatives and briefings and updates prepared for the Minister since 1 January 2012	20-Jun-17	Granted
FOI/1/1/1222	30-May-17	Other	Any Correspondence between the OPW and An Garda Síochána regarding the construction of a new Divisional Garda HQ in Kevin Street, Dublin in the time-frame of 1 January 2015 to 26 May 2017 inclusive.	n/a	Withdrawn
FOI/1/1/1223	30-May-17	Business/Interest	1) With regards to tender Ref: SD/04/17 The supply of carpet tiles to the Dept Social Protection Branmore Road Sligo awarded to Treflor 2) With regard to tender Ref SD/04/17. The supply of carpet tiles to the Dept Social Protection Hanover St Cork awarded to Se Quirk 3) With regard to tender Ref SD/04/17. The supply of carpet tiles to the Dept Social Protection Grace Park Athlone awarded to Mark Rafferty Solutions Ltd. Please give details of the quality of the tiles submitted by the 3 above.	n/a	Withdrawn
FOI/1/1/1224	31-May-17	Journalist	Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, can I request details and a breakdown of expenditure on Teach O'Clericín in Monaghan in 2016.	28-Jun-17	Granted
FOI/1/1/1225	31-May-17	Business/Interest	With regards to Tender Ref DL/24/15. The supply of carpet to the Houses of the Oireachtas Leinster House Kildare St Dublin 2. Please give details of the quality of the carpet used and the total cost.	01-Jun-17	Withdrawn
FOI/1/1/1226	22-May-17	Other	A list of all the buildings that An Garda Síochána is currently renting in each of counties Roscommon, Leitrim, and Longford, including details of the annual rent payable, the length of each lease, the name and address of each building, the name and address of each owner, and An Garda Síochána current use of each building.	19-Jun-17	Part Granted
FOI/1/1/1227	07-Jun-17	Journalist	I wish to request, under the Freedom of Information Act, details of how many times Taoiseach Enda Kenny used Steward's House in Farmleigh in 2016 and to date in 2017. Please also include any payments made by the Taoiseach in relation to his use of the house or any charges incurred on him by the OPW during the same period. Please also include any correspondence between the Taoiseach and/or his office and the OPW in relation to Steward's House during the same period. I also wish to request, under FoI, any correspondence between Leo Varadkar and/or Simon Coveney or their offices / representatives and the OPW in relation to Steward's House since the start of 2016.	03-Jul-17	Granted
FOI/1/1/1228	21-Jun-17	Journalist	I wish to request, under the Freedom of Information Act, access to all correspondence with former Taoisigh and Cinn Comhairle about their official portraits, including in relation to the commissioning process, to date in 2017. Please include all correspondence with Brian Cowen, Enda Kenny, John O'Donoghue, Seamus Kirk and Sean Barrett. I also wish to request, under FoI, access to all correspondence with the Department of the Taoiseach and/or Houses of the Oireachtas in relation to official portraits during 2015 and 2016, including in relation to the commissioning process. I also wish to request, under FoI, access to any briefings/memos in relation to the commissioning of official portraits during 2015 and 2016.	18-Jul-17	Part Granted
FOI/1/1/1229	21-Jun-17	Journalist	Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following: Copy of the briefing notes prepared on appointment of incoming Minister Kevin Moran.	14-Jul-17	Refused

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FOI/1/1/1230	21-Jun-17	Journalist	Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following: Copies of any correspondence between OPW and Dublin City Council with regard to placement of OPW sites on register of vacant sites. Copies of any reports, memoranda, submissions, briefing notes prepared relating to the above.	18-Jul-17	Part Granted
FOI/1/1/1231	21-Jun-17	Journalist	Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following: Copies of any records to include emails, letters, faxes, handwritten notes, memos and so on relating to the possibility of selling Stepside Garda Station.	n/a	Withdrawn
FOI/1/1/1232	27-Jun-17	Business/Interest	OFFICE OF PUBLIC WORKS 1. Submission for "Tenders for the provision of short films for a recruitment campaign" (DUE DATE 2nd JUNE 2017) All submitted tenders requested, including winning application (Public Appointments Service).	n/a	Withdrawn
FOI/1/1/1233	04-Jul-17	Journalist	I wish to request, under the Freedom of Information Act, access to all correspondence with An Garda Síochána in relation to the opening of the Garda Museum in Dublin Castle since July 2016. I also wish to request, under FOI, access to all internal correspondence / memos / reports into the opening of the Garda Museum in Dublin Castle since July 2016.	N/A	Withdrawn
FOI/1/1/1234	17-Jul-17	Journalist	Could you supply me with the following information under the FOI Act 2014 1) A list of Capital works in excess of €3,000 that the OPW carried out on behalf of AGS out at the following Garda Stations: Coolock, Raheny, Swords, Malahide, Clontarf and Howth Garda Stations, Dublin in the years 2014,2015,2016 and to-date in 2017. Please include a brief description of each work project and what station it was done in tabular form in each of those years mentioned above. I'm looking works that have either completed or currently ongoing 2) A list of Capital works in excess of €3,000 that OPW will have agreed to carry out on behalf of AGS in the following stations but the work has yet to commence. Also could you include a brief description of the works and what station that they works will carry out in.	14-Aug-17	Granted
FOI/1/1/1235	20-Jul-17	Other	Records dating from 01-01-2008 to the present date (20-07-2017) from any lease agreements, purchase agreements, financial contracts & spending in relation to the following property: 390 Clonard Road, Dublin 6	24-Aug-17	Part Granted
FOI/1/1/1236	20-Jul-17	Other	What is the Customer Charter specific to the heritage sites and interpretive centres under the remit of the OPW? What is the Collection Policy of the OPW?	N/A	Withdrawn
FOI/1/1/1237	24-Jul-17	Journalist	I wish to obtain the following through the Freedom of Information Act: Any record relating to numbers 4-7 Merrion Square from 1/1/13 to date.	16-Aug-17	Part Granted
FOI/1/1/1238	25-Jul-17	Journalist	I would like to know how much the CFRAM study has cost from its establishment to date. I would like this information broken by type of expense, such as consultants, PR, legal, etc.	22-Aug-17	Part Granted
FOI/1/1/1239	08-Aug-17	Business	Info in relation to a tender for concession at Brú na Boinne	08-Sep-17	Refused
FOI/1/1/1240			Personal Records		
FOI/1/1/1241	10-Aug-17	Journalist	In accordance with the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I request the following records; -The amount of money made by the sale of Garda properties, such as old Garda barracks, in the past three years broken down by property and sale price.	21-Aug-17	Refused

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FOI/1/1/1242	12-Aug-17	Journalist	Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following: - A spreadsheet/database of all costs associated with the fit-out of the Department's of Health's new HQ on Baginbun Street broken down line item by line item. - Measurements, plans, visual material which will assist in indicating the appearance of the Minister's office and the boardroom. - A list of and costs for all freestanding furniture, decorative items, electronic equipment, and art purchased for either of the above offices. - The specification for the carpets, blinds, curtains, light fittings and so on for the above two offices. I would prefer to receive this information electronically, ideally in its original electronic format.	N/A	Withdrawn
FOI/1/1/1243	15-Aug-17	Other	under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 I would like to make the following FOI requests. 1. list of rooms on each floor of Farmleigh house and the courtyard. including guest bedrooms and staff bedrooms. 2. list of staff working at Farmleigh house full time and part time. 3. list of OPW staff and their roles working at Áras an Uachtaráine e.g gardener, housekeeper.	29-Aug-17	Refused
FOI/1/1/1258	02-Oct-17	Journalist	All information relating to the costs of relocating the Seanad to its temporary accommodation in the National Museum. This to include all records available concerning tenders and contracts for the works associated with the move. Also to include the costs associated with the modifications to Leinster House to facilitate access to the new temporary Seanad from inside Leinster House. And to include costs for adaptation of the Ceramics Room, new furniture and fittings, carpets, plastering and paintwork, new leather seating if applicable etc.	27-Oct-17	Refused
FOI/1/1/1259	04-Oct-17	Other	What is the annual cost to the State of the maintenance and provision of security for the 100 Garda stations which were closed in 2013?	N/A	Withdrawn
FOI/1/1/1260	04-Oct-17	Journalist	All records held by the department regarding the reopening of Stepside Garda station, including but not limited to any documents related to the building formerly housing the station and correspondence with An Garda Síochána related to its reopening, from the period 06 May 2016 to 03 October 2017.	25-Oct-17	Granted
FOI/1/1/1261	05-Oct-17	Journalist	I would like to request, under the terms of the Freedom of Information Act, copies of any letters, emails or notes of conversations between the Minister of State at the Office, Mr Moran, and others, dating from January 1st 2017 and October 4th 2017, regarding extending the visitor season to Skellig Michael and any related considerations, such as the effect such an extension might have on the island. The others in my request should be taken to mean all other persons and/or institutions, such as OPW officials, other government departments, members of the Oireachtas, members of local authorities, individual citizens and Unesco	22-Nov-17	Granted
FOI/1/1/1262	06-Oct-17	Journalist	I wish to request, under the Freedom of Information Act, details of any correspondence between the Taoiseach Leo Varadkar and/or his office/advisers and the OPW in relation to the use of Stewards House, otherwise known as Stewards Lodge, in Farmleigh. I also wish to request, under FOI, details of how many nights the current Taoiseach has stayed in Steward's House and if he has paid / refunded the OPW any money in exchange for staying in the property. I also wish to request, under FOI, any internal correspondence by the OPW regarding the use of Stewards House, otherwise known as Stewards Lodge, since Taoiseach Varadkar took office.	N/A	Withdrawn

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FOI/1/1/1263	06-Oct-17	Journalist	I wish to request, under the Freedom of Information Act, access to any correspondence with former taoisigh Brian Cowen or Enda Kenny regarding their official portraits since the start of 2017. I also wish to request, under FoI, any correspondence with former cinn comhairle John O'Donoghue, Seamus Kirk and Sean Barrett since the start of 2017 regarding their official portraits. I also wish to request, under FoI, any correspondence with the Department of Taoiseach regarding portraits for former taoisigh or cinn comhairle since the start of 2017. I also wish to request, under FoI, access to any details of payments to artists or correspondence with artists regarding portraits of cinn comhairle or former taoisigh since the start of 2017.	06-Dec-17	Refused
FOI/1/1/1264	25-Oct-17	Other	How much money was spent on the preservation/up keeping of these Heritage parks/gardens in Dublin in 2016: 1. Garden of Remembrance 2. National Botanic Gardens 3. St Endas Park 4. Phoenix Park 5. St Stephens Green 6. The Iveagh Gardens 7. War Memorial Gardens	21-Nov-17	Granted
FOI/1/1/1265	31-Oct-17	Business	I am trying to ascertain whether or not the contracts below have been awarded yet and if so, are you able to tell me who to? 1. Leinster House, Kildare Street, Dublin 2, Works to the Georgian Building, Submission date 19/06/2017 2. Office of Public Works, Celbridge, Forensic science laboratories Enabling Works, Submission date 11/07/2017	N/A	Withdrawn
FOI/1/1/1266	01-Nov-17	Journalist	Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following: 1. copies of all records relating to delays in moving staff into Miesian Plaza which the OPW has been leasing 2. copies of any correspondence or records relating to payment of €6.5 million	N/A	Withdrawn
FOI/1/1/1267	02-Nov-17	Other	Request for information re Lower Lee Flood Relief Scheme, Morrisons Island Public Realm Enhancement and flood defence project	21-Dec-17	Part-Granted
FOI/1/1/1268	08-Nov-17	Journalist	1. Details of the costs involved in the refurbishment works currently underway at Collins Barracks, broken down by category. 2. Copies of any inspection reports, architectural reports on condition of Collins Barracks in the run-up to current refurbishment works to the museum.	N/A	Withdrawn
FOI/1/1/1269	10-Nov-17	Business	• Access to all records (written and electronic) held by the Department in relation to the decision to relocate from Trident House, 3rd Floor Blackrock to another location • A Statement by the Department outlining the Depts reasons for leaving Trident House and any findings on any material issues of fact which led to the decision to relocate.	30-Nov-17	Granted
FOI/1/1/1270	13-Nov-17	Journalist	I am making this request under the Freedom of Information Act for the following records: Copies of all correspondence between the OPW and Lucasfilm/Disney or any other film production company in relation to the use of OPW property for the filming of Star Wars. The correspondence can be limited to items between January 1, 2016 and November 13, 2017. Please include copies of any documents enclosed/attached to the above correspondence.	07-Dec-17	Refused
FOI/1/1/1271	13-Nov-17	Journalist	All correspondence between the OPW and DAA about the development of a dedicated immigration unit at Dublin Airport, between February 2017 and November 2017.	N/A	Withdrawn
FOI/1/1/1272	13-Nov-17	Other	I would like to make a request under the Freedom of Information Acts seeking any documents relating to the commissioning and hanging of the portrait of the former Chief Justice Denham in the Four Courts complex.	N/A	Withdrawn

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FOI/1/1/1273	14-Nov-17	Journalist	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Details of all payments made by the Department to staff or former staff who have made claims against the Department through the courts, Workplace Relations Commission or Employment Appeals Tribunals in each of the years 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016 and to date in 2017.</li> <li>• Please provide a breakdown of the payments ordered by the individual authorities - ie the High Court, Circuit Court District Court, WRC, EATs etc.</li> <li>• Please provide a breakdown of the reason for the claims and resulting payments eg. assault, sexual harassment, bullying personal injury etc.</li> <li>• Details of the legal fees paid by the Department in relation to claims made by former or current staff in the same years.</li> <li>• Please provide a breakdown that includes the name of the solicitors/law firms used in the Department's defence and the sums paid to them.</li> </ul>	06-Dec-17	Part-Granted
FOI/1/1/1274	16-Nov-17	Journalist	<p>I would like to request the following records under the Freedom of Information Act 2014. Ideally, I would like the records, and any responses, to be sent by email.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. A copy of the inspection report put together by the National Standards Authority of Ireland following a 2009 inspection of the Whitehall College of Further Education that was later provided to the Office of Public Works.</li> <li>2. Any correspondence between the Office of Public Works and other parties about the report, including but not limited to correspondence with the National Standards Authority of Ireland and Western Building Systems.</li> </ol>	28-Nov-17	Refused
FOI/1/1/1275	17-Nov-17	Other	Request for Information under FOI re Lower Lee (Cork City) Flood Relief Scheme Morrison's Island Public Realm Enhancement and Flood Defence Project.	11-Jan-18	Refused
FOI/1/1/1276	23-Nov-17	Journalist	<p>I am making this request under the Freedom of Information Act for the following records:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Copies of all correspondence between the OPW and An Garda Síochána in relation to the reopening of Garda Stations</li> <li>• Copies of all correspondence between the OPW and organisations (community groups etc) currently using former Garda Stations which may be reopened.</li> <li>• The correspondence can be limited to items between June 13, 2017 and November 22, 2017. Please include copies of any documents enclosed/attached to the above correspondence.</li> </ul> <p>The correspondence could include but is not limited to the following former Stations - Fitzgibbon Street, Steapside, Rush, Donard, Leighlinbridge.</p>	N/A	Withdrawn
FOI/1/1/1277	27-Nov-17	Other	Please supply the official text as used by the OPW guides at Roscrea Heritage Sites, namely Roscrea Castle Complex and the Blackmills at Church Street Roscrea.	12-Dec-17	Refused

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FOI/1/1/1278	27-Nov-17	Other	I wish to obtain all records/messages/information/emails/letters/correspondence pertaining to Roscrea Heritage and in particular communications concerning Roscrea Heritage Society, George Cunningham and the following OPW officials: Ms Michele O'Dea, OPW Architect; Jacinta Rigney, Manager, Roscrea Heritage; Jacqueline McHale, OPW, Clarendmorris, Co Mayo; Frank Shalvey OPW (Director of Nat Mons since Dr Lennox retirement, Clarendmorris; Dermot Burke, Director of National Monuments up to his retirement; Dr Lennox, Director of National Monuments; Ms Parlon, OPW Asst Principal Officer; Commissioner John Sydenham and Commissioner McMahon; Chairperson of the Commissioners Ms Claire McGrath. And all data concerning the acquisition and proposed development of Ryan's Hall, Rosemary Street Roscrea.	22-Dec-17	Refused
FOI/1/1/1279	28-Nov-17	Other	All memos, briefings, and reports, audits prepared by the OPW and sent to the Department of Education between 1st July 2009 to 1st October 2014 in relation Whitehall College building on the Swords Road, Drumcondra, built by Western Building Systems around 2008 that was never used, and was since subject to a legal dispute.	13-Dec-17	Refused
FOI/1/1/1280	28-Nov-17		Personal request		
FOI/1/1/1281	29-Nov-17	Journalist	Please accept this Freedom of Information Request, relating to personal injury claims pursued against the Office of Public Works, I am seeking the following records: Broken down by calendar years 2012; 2013; 2014; 2015; 2016; and the first 6 months 2017; a) The total number of personal injury claims received, further broken down by employees and, separately, nonemployees. b) The total value of these claims. c) The total cost of these claims. d) The number of court proceedings issued. e) The number of proceedings settled before the finalization of a full hearing. f) The number of proceedings that went to a full hearing in which the court ruled in favour of the plaintiff. g) The number of proceedings that were to a full hearing in which the court ruled in favour of your organisation. h) The total amount of money legal fees/costs recovered by your organisation relating to personal injury claims over the course of the calendar year (or, in the case of 2016, the first six months of the year 2017). i) The amount of money in legal/fees costs that remained owing to your organisation at the end of the calendar year (or, in the case of 2016, the first six months of the year 2017). j) The amount of money in legal fees/costs awarded in favour of your organization that were written off as unrecoverable/bad debts, over the course of the calendar year/ (or first six months of 2017)	N/A	Transferred
FOI/1/1/1282	29-Nov-17	Journalist	I wish to request, under the Freedom of Information Act, access to details of how many "adjustable height desks", also known as "standing desks" or "sit stand desks" were purchased by the OPW for government agencies / Department during 2016 and 2017. Please list how many were bought for each agency and the cost for each agency please.	21-Dec-17	Part-Granted
FOI/1/1/1283	08-Dec-17	Other	Briefing documents, Memos and Submissions, Furnished to or made by Mr. Tom Parlon to questions and answers given in the Dail during 2005 relating to the River Suir Clonmel Drainage Scheme, County Tipperary and in particular Phase 1 of those works.	08-Jan-18	Part-Granted
FOI/1/1/1284	12-Dec-17	Other	I would like to request a copy of the structural engineers' report that the OPW recently arranged, at the request of the Courts Service, in relation to Ballinamore Courthouse	11-Jan-18	Granted

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FOI/1/1285	13-Dec-17	Journalist	In accordance with the Freedom of Information Act, I request access to the following records which are non-personal and which I believe are held by the Office of Public Works, dated between January 1, 2017 and the date of this letter. -A record of the OPW's current workforce plan. -Records of the OPW's most recent internal reports focussing on skill and knowledge gaps and staffing needs across the OPW.	12-Jan-18	Part-Granted
FOI/1/1286	13-Dec-17	Journalist	In accordance with the Freedom of Information Act, I request access to the following records which are non-personal and which I believe are held by the Office of Public Works, dated between January 1, 2017 and the date of this letter. -A record of all correspondence, including but not limited to letters, emails, memos, briefing documents, reports and draft reports, to and from the minister's office in relation to the proposed Limerick Northern Distributor Road. -A record of all briefing documents prepared for Minister Moran ahead of a visit to Limerick on December 1, 2017.	16-Dec-18	Part-Granted
FOI/1/1287	18-Dec-17	Other	All correspondence between; OPW and Wexford County Council; OPW and the IDA; OPW and the Dept of Environment, Heritage and Local Government; OPW and the Dept of Housing, Planning and Local Government; OPW and the Dept of Culture, Heritage and the Gaeltacht; OPW and the Dept of Communications, Climate Action and Environment; Regarding Government offices, Newtown, Wexford (principle tenant Dept of Housing, Planning and Local Government) from 1/1/2015 to 12/12/2017		Refused
FOI/1/1288	21-Dec-17	Staff	Personal	19-Jan-18	Part-Granted
FOI/1/1289			Logged in Error		