

## Freedom of Information Disclosure Log - January - March 2022



An Roinn Turasóireachta, Cultúir,  
Ealaíon, Gaeltachta, Spóirt agus Meán  
Department of Tourism, Culture,  
Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media

Request Number	Date Received	Request Category	Due Date	Decision Made	Request Details
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0059	29/03/2022	Journalist	28/04/2022	Granted	Copies of any briefings, memos, submissions, reports, or other such high-level documents prepared for the Minister or Ministers of State or Secretary General with regard to the decision to cease Ireland's bid for the America's Cup. This request to cover the period 1 Nov 2021 to date of receipt.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0060	28/03/2022	Journalist	27/04/2022	Part-Granted	Records pertaining to a meeting between Catherine Martin, Minister for Arts, and Disney/Screen Ireland, on March 15 2021, as indicated by this entry in her ministerial diary. Searches of any relevant mobile phones, private email addresses and/or messaging services should be considered when processing this request.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0061	28/03/2022	Journalist	27/04/2022	Part-Granted	Records pertaining to a meeting between Catherine Martin, Minister for Arts, and Netflix/Screen Ireland, on March 16 2021, as indicated by this entry in her ministerial diary. Searches of any relevant mobile phones, private email addresses and/or messaging services should be considered when processing this request.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0062	28/03/2022	Journalist	27/04/2022	Part-Granted	Records pertaining to a meeting between Catherine Martin, Minister for Arts, and Facebook's Dailta O'Brin on March 29 2021, as indicated by this entry in her ministerial diary. Searches of any relevant mobile phones, private email addresses and/or messaging services should be considered when processing this request.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0058	28/03/2022	Journalist	27/04/2022	Refused	Access any information, documents, or correspondence held by this department relating to complaints of or investigations into workplace sexual harassment. I would like my request to cover the last five years.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0056	23/03/2022	Journalist	22/04/2022	Part-Granted	Records relating to expenses incurred and gifts received by the Minister and Junior Ministers at the department during their visits abroad for St Patrick's Day this year, specifically: The cost of travel and accommodation for the minister/junior ministers. The cost of travel and accommodation for any advisers or other staff for the minister/junior ministers. The cost of any gifts (including shamrock) incurred by the department for the trip. Any other costs associated with the trips Details of any gifts received while the minister/junior ministers were on the trips.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0050	21/03/2022	Journalist	20/04/2022	Part-Granted	A copy of all correspondences and documents received by Minister Martin relating to hosting America's Cup, to cover the period Jan 1 2020 to present. (Correspondences and documents includes, but is not limited to, submissions, audits, research papers, advisory papers, policy documents, explanatory documents, reports, circulars, briefs, discussion notes, memos, minutes, emails, letters, text messages, and messages sent via online or encrypted messaging applications, and internal department documents and communications)
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0055	16/03/2022	Journalist	19/04/2022	Refused	Costing spreadsheets from the years 2020 and 2021 which outline the government spending to prevent children from accessing harmful content online. Please provide these spreadsheets as Excel format.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0052	11/03/2022	Journalist	12/04/2022	Part-Granted	Copies of any correspondence between the department and the IRFU with regard to issues surrounding women's rugby in the period 1 Jan 2021 to date of receipt of the request.- copies of any correspondence between the department and the IRFU with regard to the report they commissioned into women's rugby. Same timeline as above.- copies of any briefings, memos, submissions, or other such overview/review/discussion documents prepared for the minister or senior management with regard to issues in women's rugby during the period outlined above.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0053	11/03/2022	Other	12/04/2022	Refused	1. Draft of published reports concerning the Statement of Strategy 2021-2023. 2. Minutes of meetings held by the Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sports, and Media concerning the Statement of Strategy 2021-2023. 3. Presentations made to achieve the Statement of Strategy 2021-2023.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0048	04/03/2022	Journalist	05/04/2022	Part-Granted	All correspondence between Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media, Catherine Martin and/or her officials in the Department and Galway 2020 and/or its board, pertaining to Galway 2020 European Capital of Culture, during November 2021; and all internal documentation, memos and records held by the department on Galway 2020 European Capital of Culture during that month
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0049	04/03/2022	Journalist	05/04/2022	Part-Granted	A copy of all records, minute meetings, memos, subsequent correspondences etc relating to the following lobbying return: <a href="https://www.lobbying.ie/return/81785/irish-hotels-federation">https://www.lobbying.ie/return/81785/irish-hotels-federation</a>

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TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0047	03/03/2022	Other	04/04/2022	Granted	The number of IT devices in your organisation (Please differentiate the devices, for e.g.,: desktops, laptops, servers, etc).
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0045	02/03/2022	Journalist	01/04/2022	Refused	A copy of all correspondences between the minister/department and Sean O'Rourke (former RTE presenter), covering the period August 2020 to present day. A copy of all correspondences between the minister/department and RTE, re: Sean O'Rourke (former RTE presenter), covering the period August 2020 to present day. When conducting your search and retrieval please consider official information held on non-official systems, emails accounts and devices.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0044	25/02/2022	Other	29/03/2022	Refused	Copies of any communications from the NWCI to Minister and department in 2021 and 2022.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0041	21/02/2022	Other	23/03/2022	Part-Granted	Any correspondence between the Department of Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media and Sport Ireland regarding the appointment of a new CEO for Sport Ireland. I'm looking for the information for the purchase of 1st April 2021 and 18th February 2022 inclusive. Any correspondence between the Department of Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and the Media and the Department of Public Expenditure and Reform regarding the appointment of a new CEO for Sport Ireland. I'm looking for the information for the period of 1st April 2021 and 18th February 2022 inclusive
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0040	17/02/2022	Journalist	21/03/2022	Granted	Records showing the number of employee/official mobile devices - to include smartphones, laptops and tablets - reported lost by or stolen by employees/officials in 2020 and 2021. Breakdown of same by device and year. Whether devices were encrypted or not. If it is necessary for any reason to redact any information, please redact the minimum necessary and send me the rest of the material, explaining the legal grounds for each redaction.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0039	16/02/2022	Other	16/03/2022	Part-Granted	Minutes of a meeting between the Minister for Tourism, Culture, Arts, Gaeltacht, Sport and Media (TCAGSM) and the Chairman of the National Archives Advisory Council (NAAC) in June 2021. This meeting is referenced in section 2 of the minutes of the NAAC meeting of 15 September 2021. Minutes of a meeting between the Chairman of the NAAC and officials of the Department, as referenced in section 4 of the minutes of the NAAC meeting of 15 September 2021. A copy of the letter circulated to members of the NAAC, referred to in section 4 of the minutes of the NAAC of 15 September 2021. A copy of the letter from the Chairman of the NAAC to the Department, referred to in the final sentence of section 4 of the minutes of the NAAC of 15 September 2021.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0035	16/02/2022	Other	16/03/2022	Refused	Copies of these full applications, including all information (invoices/ quotes) and communications 2018-2021 - so that the scope of the FOI may be covered. Grants awarded and / or submitted by cycling ireland, including the case of the awarded grant then its subsequent retraction.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0034	15/02/2022	Journalist	15/03/2022	Part-Granted	A breakdown of Official Entertainment & spending for each Minister/Minister of State from June 2020 to date.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0037	15/02/2022	Other	15/03/2022	Granted	Records containing all applicants (successful and unsuccessful) for a capital sports grant in the 2020 round (projects just awarded) to include the amount sought, the amount awarded and the total points scored under the Department's marking system. From past experience, I believe the figures should be available in a single spreadsheet.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0036	14/02/2022	Other	14/03/2022	Part-Granted	All correspondence sent and received between TDs and the department, in relation to the sports capital grant allocations, between 5th February and 12th February 2022. Correspondence between department officials and Minister Jack Chambers, in relation to the sports capital grant allocations, between 5th February and 12th February 2022.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0030	11/02/2022	Journalist	13/04/2022	Refused	Ar aon cháipéis, litreacha, tuairiscí nó doiciméid atá ina seilbh maidir le plean teanga Árann ón mbliain 2020 go dtí lá An féidir eolas a fháil faoin saineolas nó comhairle atá curtha ar Roinn na Gaeltachta faoin bplean
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0032	11/02/2022	Other	11/03/2022	Part-Granted	A copy of the successful sports capital grant application by Wesley College and YMCA Hockey Club please, along with all supporting documentation submitted.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0031	10/02/2022	Journalist	10/03/2022	Granted	Gach taifid, miontuairisc cruinnithe agus cumarsáid [léibh ArdOifigeach Feidhmiúcháin nó os a cheann sa Roinn] a bhaineann le tithíocht inacmhainne agus talamh lena n-ghaoidh a chur ar fáil sa Ghaeltacht ón thréimhse idir 1/1/2021 chun dáta.

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TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0028	09/02/2022	Journalist	09/03/2022	Refused	Copies of all correspondence between Department of Culture and Sport Ministers and the Football Association of Ireland. Copies of the minutes of all meetings between Department of Culture and Sport Ministers and the Football Association of Ireland. The time period can be limited to 1/1/2021 to 9/2/2022. The records should include copies of any documents attached or enclosed with the correspondence. I can confirm I am seeking correspondence related to potential bids for World Cup 2030/Euro 2028.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0026	08/02/2022	Journalist	08/03/2022	Refused	A copy of any feasibility work undertaken to look at hosting the world cup. This can include reports or formal memos.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0024	02/02/2022	Journalist	02/03/2022	Refused	All correspondence with Dublin City Council and St Patrick's festival on governance issues in the St Patrick's Festival from January 2018 to date. I would like a copy of any governance reviews or reports on the festival. I understand there was one carried out by the IPA.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0023	01/02/2022	Journalist	01/03/2022	Granted	Details of the number of data breaches involving the National Archives for the calendar years 2020 and 2021. A brief line description of each data breach involved, and the outcome/result of its notification or investigation.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0021	28/01/2022	Journalist	25/02/2022	Part-Granted	Copies of all correspondence between the Department and the BAI with regard to the terms and conditions for employment of their new chief executive. Copies of all correspondence between the Department and D/PER with regard to the above.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0022	28/01/2022	Journalist	16/03/2022	Part-Granted	Copy of all submissions made during the 2020/2021 consultation process on the Designation of Major Events.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0020	26/01/2022	Journalist	23/02/2022	Granted	All the emails, notes, memo, letters, texts and WhatsApps exchanged between the IDA and the Department on the Online Safety Bill. I would like to request all the emails, notes, memo, letters, texts and WhatsApps exchanged between Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment and the Department on the Online Safety Bill.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0014	25/01/2022	Journalist	01/03/2022	Part-Granted	Email correspondence sent to Juno McEnroe or the Minister's office by Q4PR on behalf of the Gate Theatre, or by the Gate Theatre itself regarding challenges created by under-funding and Covid-19.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0016	25/01/2022	Other	22/02/2022	Refused	With regard to the sports capital and equipment programme, in relation to the 2020 - Sports Capital and Equipment Programme - Eventing Ireland - CAS-51571-G3G9B0. Under the terms of the grant application and the grant approval, there is a requirement to provide 3 comparable quotes with regard to the grant when seeking final approval, and if the organisation receiving the grant opts to choose a supplier other than the cheapest it must supply supporting reasons. In the case of this grant I would like to receive copies of documentation supporting the selection, of the preferred supplier, as the lowest cost suppliers were not put forward as the the preferred supplier. I would like to receive copies of any correspondence between the Department and Eventing Ireland, and or Horse Sport Ireland in relation to the selection of the preferred supplier for the purposes of the Grant.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0017	25/01/2022	Journalist	15/03/2022	Granted	Any correspondence between Troy Studios and Minister Martin during 2021.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0019	25/01/2022	Journalist	22/02/2022	Granted	Any correspondence between the American Chamber of Commerce and Minister Martin during 2021 or to date in 2022 in relation to Online Safety; Media Regulation legislation.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0012	24/01/2022	Journalist	21/02/2022	Part-Granted	Records concerning two meetings taken by Minister for Arts Catherine Martin with Twitter and TikTok on January 27, 2021. Records may include any notes taken at the meetings or any briefing documents prepared and presented to the Minister in advance of the meeting. Searches of any relevant mobile phones, private email addresses and/or messaging services should be considered when processing this request, as should any parallel communications relating to these meetings.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0013	24/01/2022	Journalist	21/02/2022	Part-Granted	Records concerning a meeting between Minister for Arts Catherine Martin and Google held on Wed, 10 February 2021, as indicated by her ministerial diary. Records may include any notes taken at the meetings or any briefing documents prepared and presented to the Minister in advance of the meeting. Searches of any relevant mobile phones, private email addresses and/or messaging services should be considered when processing this request, as should any parallel communications relating to these meetings.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0010	20/01/2022	Journalist	17/02/2022	Granted	All records held by the department concerning proposals to create an Irish Language Quarter in Dublin City (as announced here), including internal emails, reports, memos to ministers or meeting notes/minutes.

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TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0008	19/01/2022	Other	16/02/2022	Part-Granted	Minister Cathrine Martin's decision to allow Sky News to broadcast on Saorview. All correspondence between the Department and the Broadcasting Authority of Ireland in relation to the application of Sky News to begin broadcasting on Saorview. All correspondence between the Department and RTÉ in relation to the application of Sky News to begin broadcasting on Saorview.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0009	19/01/2022	Journalist	16/02/2022	Granted	A list of e-submissions sent to Minister Martin between 1/11/21 and the date of this request.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0007	17/01/2022	Client	14/02/2022	Part-Granted	A copy of any T&C's, SLA, contracts or agreements with Horse Sport Ireland all records of oversight and compliance engagement between TCAGSM and Horse Sport Ireland from 2017-2021, which demonstrate if and how HSI adheres to the T&C's, SLA(s) and to any other compliance and control obligation(s). These records may take the form of specific dates, minutes, agenda's, actions, projects etc
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0006	14/01/2022	Journalist	11/02/2022	Refused	Records of the following, from 2019-2021: Complaints received from staff which allege that they were bullied by fellow staff Complaints received from staff which allege that they were harassed by fellow staff Complaints received from staff which allege they were sexual harassed by fellow staff I am seeking copies of the complaints themselves, which can be redacted to protect complainants' privacy. If this is not possible, I would like to receive data on the number and type of complaints made within this timeframe.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0005	12/01/2022	Journalist	09/02/2022	Granted	Correspondence between the Camogie Association and Ministers Martin and Chambers during 2021 and to date in 2022. Please also include correspondence between the Camogie Association and John Kelly.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0002	07/01/2022	Oireachtas/Public Representatives	04/02/2022	Refused	Names of all sports clubs and organisations Minister of State for Sport, Gaeltacht & Defence Jack Chambers met with and received presentations from in the Munster region from the dates 1st June 2021 to 31st December 2021 inclusive.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0004	07/01/2022	Client	10/02/2022	Part-Granted	1. Final appraisal reports prepared by the National Archives in 2018 and 2019 in response to Applications for the Disposal of Records under Section 7 of the National Archives Act, 1986. 2. Appraisal policies, appraisal criteria or any rules, procedures, guidelines, interpretations and precedents used or applied by the National Archives in assessing Applications for Disposal of Records under Section 7 of the National Archives Act, 1986. I wish to request the following records for the years 2018, 2019 and 2020: 1. Appraisal reports or other documentation prepared by the National Archives in response to Applications for the Disposal of Records under Section 7 of the National Archives Act, 1986, to include documentation relating to disposal applications authorised, refused and withdrawn. 2. Appraisal policies, appraisal criteria or any rules, procedures, guidelines, interpretations and precedents used or applied by the National Archives in assessing Applications for Disposal of Records under Section 7 of the National Archives Act, 1986. 3. Correspondence between staff members of the National Archives (including the Director or Acting Director) or between the National Archives and the agencies submitting the Applications for Disposal; notes of meetings or any other documentation relating to the assessment of Applications for the Disposal of Records under Section 7 of the National Archives Act, 1986, and the recommendations arising from those assessments.
TCAGSM-FOI-2022-0001	06/01/2022	Other	03/02/2022	Part-Granted	A copy of the sports capital funding application in which cycling Ireland (NGB) submitted to yourselves. Also a copy of the following applications from clubs: Carlow Road Cycling Club, Slaney Valley Cycling Club, Ballyfermot BMX club, Lucan BMX Club

\* FOI requests may be refused on the basis that no records relating to the request exists