

## Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment Freedom of Information Log: 2020

Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0001-2020	03/01/2020	Journalist	<p>Please find below a request under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 for:</p> <p>All submissions to this consultation:</p> <p><a href="https://dbei.gov.ie/en/Consultations/Public-Consultation-Development-of-a-National-Strategy-on-Artificial-Intelligence.html">https://dbei.gov.ie/en/Consultations/Public-Consultation-Development-of-a-National-Strategy-on-Artificial-Intelligence.html</a></p>	28/01/2020	Access Refused Section: 29(1)
FOI-0004-2020	06/01/2020	Journalist	<p>I wish to apply for records held by the department under the Freedom of Information Act.</p> <p>Can you provide me with any briefing notes or correspondence provided to the Minister regarding the proposals contained in the Official Languages (Amendment) Bill 2019.</p>	21/01/2020	Access Granted
FOI-0006-2020	08/01/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:</p> <p>- copies of all records held referring or relating to mileage claims by Minister John Halligan.</p> <p>This request to cover the period 30 December 2019 to date of receipt of the request.</p> <p>Searches of any mobile phones, relevant private email addresses and/or messaging services should be considered when processing this request.</p>	31/01/2020	Access Refused Section: 15(1)(a)

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FOI-0010-2020	16/01/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I am requesting the release of details regarding expenses incurred by the Minister and Department's Junior Minister(s) during their visits abroad for St Patrick's Day last year, specifically</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The cost of travel and accommodation for the Minister</li> <li>• The cost of travel and accommodation for any advisers or other staff for the Minister</li> <li>• The cost of any gifts (including shamrock) incurred by the Department for the trip</li> </ul> <p>Any other costs associated for the trip.</p>	13/02/2020	Access Part-Granted Section: 37(1)
FOI-0012-2020	17/01/2020	Member of the Public	<p>I wish to make a request for records held by the Department of Business, Enterprise and Innovation under the Freedom of Information Act.</p> <p>The records are:</p> <p><i>Minutes of meeting, and related email correspondence, between Huawei and Minister Humphreys, as detailed on the lobbying register <a href="https://www.lobbying.ie/return/54585/huawei-ireland">https://www.lobbying.ie/return/54585/huawei-ireland</a></i></p>	12/02/2020	Access Part-Granted Sections: 35, 36, 37 and 40
FOI-0015-2020	22/01/2020	Journalist	<p>I wish to request, under the Freedom of Information Act, access to all correspondence during 2019 and to date in 2020 between Vape Business Ireland and Minister Humphreys.</p>	19/02/2020	Access Granted
FOI-0016-2020	22/01/2020	Journalist	<p>I wish to request, under the Freedom of Information Act, access to any correspondence / minutes / memos relating to the meeting between the Irish Duty Free Alliance and Minister Breen during 2019.</p>	19/02/2020	Access Granted

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FOI-0020-2020	04/02/2020	Journalist	<p>I request under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 the following records held by the Department of Business, Enterprise and Innovation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All correspondence between Minister Humphreys; a named special adviser; Sec Gen of DBEI or Assistant Secretary of DBEI and the Competition and Consumer Protection Commission (CCPC) in relation to that agency's ongoing study of the public liability insurance market in Ireland.</li> <li>• All briefing notes prepared for the minister in relation to same.</li> </ul> <p>The timeframe should cover the period of November 1, 2019 to January 31, 2020.</p>	02/03/2020	Access Granted
FOI-0021-2020	04/02/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:</p> <p>- copies of all correspondence between Minister Humphreys and/or her ministerial office and the IDA and/or IDA chief executive in relation to the latest IDA strategy. This request to cover the period 1 July 2019 to date of its receipt.</p>	03/03/2020	Access Refused Section: 29(1)(a) and (b)
FOI-0023-2020	17/02/2020	Journalist	<p>Please find below a request under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 for:</p> <p>1. All minutes of board meetings held during 2019</p> <p>- If you do not have a board, the board-equivalent body will suffice, ie, governing authority, management committee, etc</p>	10/03/2020	Access Part-Granted Sections: 36(1)(b) and 37(1)

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FOI-0039-2020	20/04/2020	Member of the Public	<p>I request the following data. If it cannot be immediately released, I request it under FOI to be released digitally via this email address.</p> <p>1. Letter dated 16th September 2016 sent by email by Keelings Group to Department Jobs, Enterprise and Innovation / Mary Mitchell O'Connor, in relation to the Companies Accounting Bill 2016 and provisions relating to unlimited companies and non-filing structures.</p> <p>2. Replies / data relating to letter (1) sent from Dept Jobs to Keelings Group.</p>	18/05/2020	Access Granted
FOI-0042-2020	13/05/2020	Member of the Public	<p>Could you provide me with the following information under the FOI Act 2014</p> <p><b>1/</b> Any Correspondence between Department of Business, Enterprise and Innovation and Office of Director of Corporate Enforcement seeking approval for recruitment of staff <b>at the grade of HEO or equivalent and higher</b> within ODCE in the years 2018, 2019 and to-date in 2020</p> <p><b>2/</b> If ODCE must seek approval first from DBEI to recruit for posts to be filled <b>at the grade of HEO or equivalent and higher</b></p>	08/06/2020	Access Granted
FOI-0046-2020	05/05/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- copies of all correspondence between the department and Keeling's Fruits with regard to work permits in the period 1 Jan 2020 to date of receipt of this request.</li> <li>- copies of any briefings/submissions/reports or other such review documents prepared for the minister or Secretary General with regard to the issue of Keeling's and migrant workers during the same period.</li> </ul>	03/06/2020	Access Refused Section: 15(1)(a)

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FOI-0049-2020	19/05/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I request access to records, which are: Non-Personal</p> <p>1. Correspondence between Minister <b>Humphreys</b> and Supermacs, on the topic of insurance, between 1st January and 15th May 2020</p> <p><a href="https://www.lobbying.ie/return/58003/supermacs">https://www.lobbying.ie/return/58003/supermacs</a></p>	18/06/2020	Access Refused Section: 15
FOI-0051-2020	21/05/2020	Journalist	<p>I wish to request, under the Freedom of Information Act, access to correspondence between Musgraves and Minister Humphreys during 2020 about face masks.</p>	19/06/2020	Access Granted
FOI-0052-2020	22/05/2020	Member of the Public	<p>I wish to make a request for records held by the Department of Business under the Freedom of Information Act. The records are:</p> <p><i>Letter sent by Amazon Web Services to the department regarding the designation of data centres as essential services. Referenced here on the lobbying register:</i></p> <p><a href="https://www.lobbying.ie/return/58505/amazon-web-services">https://www.lobbying.ie/return/58505/amazon-web-services</a></p>	22/06/2020	Access Granted
FOI-0062-2020	11/06/2020	Journalist	<p>Request the following records:</p> <p>I would like to request all communications with and documents submitted by stakeholders, including companies such as Google and Facebook, on the EU's upcoming Digital Services Act since June 1st, 2019. My request should cover e-mails, minutes of meetings and documents such as reports, non-papers and other statements submitted only by external stakeholders.</p>	08/07/2020	Access Granted

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FOI-0065-2020	15/06/2020	Member of the Oireachtas/Public Representative	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 I am requesting the following information:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. All correspondence and communications of any kind whatsoever between the Department of Business, Enterprise and Innovation, its employees, the Minister for Business, Enterprise and Innovation and/or her advisers and other civil servants and/or the Fianna Fáil, Fine Gael and/or the Green Party or their representatives regarding their programme for Government negotiations.</li> </ol>	08/07/2020	Access Granted
FOI-0066-2020	15/06/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I request access to the following records:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. All records and correspondence held by the department related to a briefing/presentation on 2020 government formation talks/programme for Government provided to either the Green Party, Fine Gael, and/or Fianna Fáil.</li> </ol> <p>(I understand in the Greens case the party supplied departments with a list of queries or questions on their policy objectives in talks, and in most cases departments then provided a presentation/briefing to the Green Party discussing the policy issues. This request would be for records related to that presentation, and associated correspondence, and records related to other similar presentations if they took place provided to Fine Gael or Fianna Fáil)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2. All briefings or analysis compiled by the department on policy proposals as part of the 2020 government formation talks/programme for Government 2020.</li> </ol>	10/07/2020	Access Part-Granted Sections: 33(1)(2)(d), 35(1)(a) and 40(1)(2)(c)

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FOI-0067-2020	15/06/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I request access to the following records:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Correspondence sent and received by the department secretary general in relation to policy issues associated with the Programme for Government 2020 talks, between 3rd May and 15th June 2020.</li> </ol>	08/07/2020	Access Granted
FOI-0071-2020	22/06/2020	Journalist	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. All correspondence sent and received between the Minister / department secretary general, and either Facebook, Apple, or Google, between 1st March and 22nd June 2020</li> </ol>	16/07/2020	Access Granted
FOI-0074-2020	24/06/2020	Journalist	<p>This is a request under the freedom of information act.</p> <p>Please send me any correspondence between the department and the Victoria Harbor Group, or any other Hong Kong based companies or business people, about proposals to build a new city in Ireland from September 2019 to today's date.</p> <p>Please also send me any internal correspondence within the department relating to the proposals during the same time period.</p>	22/07/2020	Access Refused Section: 15(1)(a)

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FOI-0084-2020	06/07/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:</p> <p>- copies of all records held referring or relating to the provision of an aide-de-camp to the Tánaiste as part of arrangements for the new government.</p>	05/08/2020	Access Refused Section: 15
FOI-0086-2020	07/07/2020	Journalist	<p>In accordance with section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act 2014,</p> <p>I wish to request access to the following records/details:</p> <p><i>All briefing notes/materials prepared for the minister and/or secretary general related to the reporting of Covid-19 acquired in workplaces since 1 March 2020, any notes referencing occupational health and safety legislation regarding same.</i></p> <p><i>All correspondence between the department and Health and Safety Authority regarding the notification of workplace outbreaks of Covid-19 since 1 March 2020.</i></p> <p><i>All correspondence between the department and HSA regarding the statutory requirements for the reporting of workplace injuries since 1 March 2020</i></p>	12/08/2020	Access Refused



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FOI-0087-2020	09/07/2020	Journalist	<p>I wish to make the following request under the Freedom of Information (FOI) regulations in relation to the following lobbying records:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Copies of any emails, letters and/or meeting minutes with Irish Concrete Federation (ICF) and internal correspondence in relation to this exchange with ICF as referenced in this return: <a href="https://tinyurl.com/y7bkogc6">https://tinyurl.com/y7bkogc6</a></li><li>• Copies of any emails, letters and/or meeting minutes with Ibec Member Services and internal correspondence in relation to this exchange with Ibec as referenced in this return: <a href="https://www.lobbying.ie/return/56626/ibec">https://www.lobbying.ie/return/56626/ibec</a></li><li>• Copies of any emails, letters and/or meeting minutes with Ibec CEO and internal correspondence in relation to this exchange with Ibec as referenced in this return: <a href="https://www.lobbying.ie/return/58979/ibec">https://www.lobbying.ie/return/58979/ibec</a></li><li>• Copies of any emails, letters and/or meeting minutes with Ibec CEO and internal correspondence in relation to this exchange with Ibec as referenced in this return: <a href="https://www.lobbying.ie/return/58019/ibec">https://www.lobbying.ie/return/58019/ibec</a></li><li>• Copies of any emails, letters and/or meeting minutes with Ibec CEO and internal correspondence in relation to this exchange with Ibec as referenced in this return: <a href="https://www.lobbying.ie/return/56613/ibec">https://www.lobbying.ie/return/56613/ibec</a></li></ul> <p>In all cases of requests for correspondence and meetings, please also include attached documents and/or documents referenced that are not already publicly available.</p> <p>In all cases for correspondence, please also note that this request <b>excludes</b> any correspondence in relation to the organisation of any meetings.</p>	12/08/2020	Access Granted
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FOI-0091-2020	24/07/2020	Journalist	<p>In accordance with section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I wish to request access to the following records/details:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- All correspondence between the Department (Principal Officer Level and above) and TikTok (ByteDance Ltd + Tiktok Technology Limited) during 2020</li>   <li>- Minutes from meetings between the Department (Principal Officer Level and above) and TikTok (ByteDance Ltd + Tiktok Technology Limited) during 2020</li> </ul>	17/08/2020	Access Refused Section: 15
FOI-0093-2020	21/07/2020	Journalist	<p>I am seeking the following information under the Freedom of Information Act 2014:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Any records relating to the proposed or actual commissioning of TV production companies to provide business related programmes to be broadcast by RTE or by any other TV station.</li>   <li>Any records within the Department relating to a series of RTE TV programmes entitled Open for Business.</li>   <li>Any records relating to the holding of a competition to select the provider of such services.</li>   <li>Any records relating to the manner and scale of funding for such commissioning as noted above.</li> </ul>	04/08/2020	Access Granted

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FOI-0095-2020	21/07/2020	Journalist	<p>In accordance the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I wish to request access to the following records which I believe to be held by your office:</p> <p>“The minutes of the meetings held on July 15 and 16 of this year, between the Tánaiste Leo Varadkar, Minister for Finance, Paschal Donohoe and Minister for Public Expenditure and Reform Michael McGrath, with the chief executives of Bank of Ireland, AIB and Ulster Bank.</p> <p>I would also like access to any communication or documentation exchanged internally or externally by officials in the Department of Finance at the grade of principal officer in preparation for the meetings, as well as any communication or documentation exchanged internally between officials in the Department of Finance at the grade of principal officer in the aftermath of the meetings.”</p>	19/08/2020	Access Granted
FOI-0096-2020	22/07/2020	Journalist	<p>I am making this request under the Freedom of Information Act for the following records:</p> <p>* Copies of correspondence to/from Tánaiste Leo Varadkar and the following organisations on the topic of international travel restrictions due to the coronavirus pandemic:</p> <p>DAA, Ryanair, Aer Lingus, International Airlines Group (IAG), The Irish Air-Line Pilot's Association (IALPA), Irish Aviation Authority, Stena Line and Irish Ferries</p> <p>The timeframe for the correspondence can be limited to the period June 27, 2020 to July 22 2020.</p> <p>I am also seeking copies of any documents attached to correspondence.</p>	20/08/2020	Access Refused Section: 15

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FOI-0097-2020	23/07/2020	Journalist	<p>I am making this request under the Freedom of Information Act for the following records:</p> <p>* Copies of correspondence to/from Tánaiste Leo Varadkar and the following organisations:</p> <p>Google, Apple, Facebook, Twitter, Microsoft, Amazon, Intel, Nasa, European Space Agency, Space X, Tesla and CERN</p> <p>The timeframe for the correspondence can be limited to the period June 27, 2020 to July 22 2020.</p> <p>I am also seeking copies of any documents attached to correspondence.</p>	24/08/2020	Access Granted
FOI-0098-2020	23/07/2020	Member of the Oireachtas/Public Representative	<p>To ask the Minister for Enterprise, Trade and Employment, in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act 2014, the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Correspondence between the Minister for Enterprise, Trade and Employment and the Central Bank pertaining to payment breaks issued in the context of COVID-19 from the 18<sup>th</sup> March 2020 to 20<sup>th</sup> July 2020;</li> <li>2. Correspondence between the Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment officials and the Central Bank pertaining to payment breaks issued in the context of COVID-19 from the 18<sup>th</sup> March 2020 to 20<sup>th</sup> July 2020.</li> </ol>	21/08/2020	Access Refused Section: 15

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FOI-0101-2020	27/07/2020	Member of the Public	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Correspondence within the Department of Business, Enterprise and Innovation relating to and/or pertaining to the use of Social Welfare Inspectors at Dublin Airport re: questioning travellers about their receipt of the Covid PUP payment.</li> <li>- Correspondence between the DBEI and other departments relating to and/or pertaining to the above deployment use of Social Welfare Inspectors.</li> <li>- Correspondence by the Minister for Enterprise, Trade and Employment relating to the above mentioned deployment of Social Welfare Inspectors.</li> </ul>	25/08/2020	Access Refused Section: 15
FOI-0102-2020	27/07/2020	Member of the Public	<p>I am requesting under the Freedom of Information Act copies of the following records which I believe to be held by your department.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- all records pertaining to changes to the content of the Gov.ie webpage titled "COVID-19 Pandemic Unemployment Payment" published on this date, Monday July 27th 2020. (Available at <a href="https://www.gov.ie/en/service/be74d3-covid-19-pandemic-unemployment-payment/">https://www.gov.ie/en/service/be74d3-covid-19-pandemic-unemployment-payment/</a> and last retrieved at 12.08pm today)</li> </ul>	26/08/2020	Access Refused Section: 15
FOI-0104-2020	29/07/2020	Journalist	<p>This is a request under the freedom of information act.</p> <p>Please send me all communications between the department and departments of justice, taoiseach and foreign affairs, and the garda force, on the issue of assigning a garda car and driver to Simon Coveney, the foreign affairs minister, between May and today's date.</p>	27/08/2020	Access Refused Section: 15
FOI-0105-2020	31/07/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking a copy of the Minister's diary for the period from and including 27th of June up to and including 31st of August 2020.</p>	31/08/2020	Access Refused Section: 15

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FOI-0106-2020	04/08/2020	Business/Interest Group	<p>I wish to make an application under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, for the following information:</p> <p>The number of appointments made by the Chair of the Panel to each individual member of the Ministers Panel of Adjudicators setup under section 8 of the Construction Contracts Act 2013 from its commencement on 25th July 2016 until the 26th July 2020 inclusive.</p>	01/09/2020	Access Refused Section: 15
FOI-0107-2020	05/08/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act, 2014, I wish to request the following records:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A copy of all communications between Tanaiste Varadkar/department officials and the DCCI regarding the 'Made Local' campaign launched on July 29.</li> <li>• A copy of all communications between Tanaiste Varadkar/department officials and Amy Huberman regarding the 'Made Local' campaign launched on July 29.</li> <li>• A breakdown of the costs associated with the 'Made Local' campaign launched on July 29.</li> <li>• The fee paid to Amy Huberman for attending the campaign launch on July 29.</li> </ul> <p>When conducting your search and retrieval please consider official information held on non-official systems, emails accounts and devices. For example, WhatsApp groups etc.</p>	02/09/2020	Access Granted

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FOI-0110-2020	12/08/2020	Journalist	<p>In June, the company Genomics Medicine Ireland was restructured and now trades under the name Genuity Science in Ireland. Hence why I have asked for records that pertain to Genomics Medicine Ireland and Genuity Science.</p> <p>In accordance with section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I wish to request access to the following records/details:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>Correspondence and documentation (sent during 2020) between Department of Business, Enterprise and Innovation (Principal Officer Level and above) and Genomics Medicine Ireland</i></li> <li>- <i>Minutes from meetings (that took place during 2020) between Department of Business, Enterprise and Innovation (Principal Officer Level and above) and Genomics Medicine Ireland</i></li> <li>- <i>Briefing notes compiled by the Department of Business, Enterprise and Innovation during 2020 that relate to Genomics Medicine Ireland</i></li> <li>- <i>Correspondence and documentation (sent during 2020) between Department of Business, Enterprise and Innovation (Principal Officer Level and above) and Genomics Medicine Ireland</i></li> <li>- <i>Briefing notes compiled by the Department of Business, Enterprise and Innovation during 2020 that relate to Genuity Science</i></li> <li>- <i>Minutes from meetings (that took place during 2020) between Department of Business, Enterprise and Innovation (Principal Officer Level and above) and Genuity Science</i></li> </ul>	09/09/2020	Access Refused Section: 15
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FOI-0111-2020	13/08/2020	Journalist	<p>I am writing to request access to records held by Department of Business, Enterprise and Innovation the Freedom of Information Act, 2014.</p> <p>Robert Troy, Minister for Trade Promotion, Digital and Companies Regulation, met with the Competition and Consumer Protection Commission (CCPC) on August 12.</p> <p>In accordance with section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I wish to request access to the following records/details:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>All correspondence and documentation sent between the Department of Business, Enterprise and Innovation and Competition and Consumer Protection Commission related to the meeting that took place</i></li> <li>- <i>Briefing notes prepared for Minister Troy ahead of the meeting with the Competition and Consumer Protection Commission</i></li> <li>- <i>Minutes from meeting that took place on August 12 between Minister Troy and Competition and Consumer Protection Commission</i></li> </ul>	09/09/2020	Access Granted
FOI-0112-2020	17/08/2020	Member of the Public	<p>Date: 05/11/02</p> <p>Request the following records:</p> <p>Information relating to question 162 20239/02 and 173 23679/02 asked by Deputy David Stanton in relation to Marino Point. Both are written questions and answers. Also, as the demolitions /reinstatement referred to in the above questions did not occur any additional information which explains this not contained in the information already requested regarding the above questions.</p>	14/09/2020	Access Refused Section: 15



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FOI-0113-2020	19/08/2020	Member of the Public	<p>This request is being made under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 and in light of the recent FOI from the Irish Times, I have grave concerns over the monitoring of Irish Social Media by government departments.</p> <p>As such, I am requesting any similar information that your department is collecting on Irish social media commentary on the actions of your department.</p> <p>In order to be perfectly clear, I would like to receive any information (posts, comments, shares/retweets, likes etc) that your department has been collecting and collating from Irish Social Media.</p> <p>While the information published by the Irish Times could be said to be collecting as a means of 'gauging public opinion', the information I am requesting does not need to inherently do the same, but if you could include the purpose for which it was collected.</p>	15/09/2020	Access Refused Section: 15
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FOI-0114-2020	19/08/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act, 2014, I wish to request the following records:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A copy of any correspondences between the Minister/Department and the five meat processing companies listed below in relation to Covid-19 from January 1, 2020, to date.</li> <li>A copy of all dates, minutes and agendas from any meetings held between the Minister/Department and the five meat processing companies listed below in relation to Covid-19 from January 1, 2020, to date.</li> <li>Any internal briefings documents, advisory papers, policy documents, memos, notes, or explanatory documents on meat processing plants in relation to Covid-19 from January 1, 2020, to date.</li> </ul> <p>Companies: Dawn Meats Group, Kepak Group, ABP Food Group, Liffey Meats, Rosderra Irish Meats.</p> <p>When conducting your search and retrieval please consider official information held on non-official systems, emails accounts and devices. For example, WhatsApp groups etc.</p>	24/09/2020	Access Refused Section: 15
FOI-0117-2020	27/08/2020	Journalist	<p>In accordance with section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I wish to request access to the following records/details:</p> <p>“All briefing notes/materials prepared for the minister and/or secretary general or between the Department and HSA related to the statutory reporting, under occupational health and safety legislation, of Covid-19 acquired in workplaces, since 1 March 2020.”</p>	23/09/2020	Access Part-Granted Section: 29(1)

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FOI-0122-2020	26/08/2020	Journalist	<p>Under Freedom of Information I wish to request access to the following records:</p> <p><i>All correspondence, notes, documents and minutes related to meetings between EU Commissioner Phil Hogan and the Tánaiste and Minister of State in the Department on August 12 2020, as referenced <a href="#">here</a>.</i></p>	22/09/2020	Access Refused Section: 15
FOI-0125-2020	01/09/2020	Journalist	<p>To whom it may concern,</p> <p>Under the FOI Act, 2014, I wish to request the following records:</p> <p>A copy of all documents, including any subsequent correspondence and or internal departmental communications, related to the following lobbying return: <a href="https://www.lobbying.ie/return/60855/retail-excellence-ireland">https://www.lobbying.ie/return/60855/retail-excellence-ireland</a></p>	23/09/2020	Access Granted
FOI-0127-2020	02/09/2020	Journalist	<p>In accordance with section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I wish to request access to the following records/details:</p> <p>All correspondence between the secretary general at the Department of Public Expenditure and Reform and the Secretary General of the Department of Business, Enterprise and Innovation in Ireland in relation the regionalised restrictions in place in Laois, Kildare, and Offaly from 1 August - 21 August 2020.</p>	22/09/2020	Access Refused Section: 15

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FOI-0108-2020	08/08/2020	Journalist	<p>I wish to make the following request under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 in relation to: All records in connection with the following items (including those related to follow up departmental actions and/or correspondence directly with Keelings) referenced in the following lobbying returns:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. <a href="https://www.lobbying.ie/return/10393/keelings-group">https://www.lobbying.ie/return/10393/keelings-group</a></li><li>2. <a href="https://www.lobbying.ie/return/27547/keelings-group">https://www.lobbying.ie/return/27547/keelings-group</a></li><li>3. <a href="https://www.lobbying.ie/return/57598/keelings-group">https://www.lobbying.ie/return/57598/keelings-group</a></li><li>4. <a href="https://www.lobbying.ie/return/51107/keelings-group">https://www.lobbying.ie/return/51107/keelings-group</a></li></ol> <p>All records in connection with the following items (including those related to follow up departmental actions and/or correspondence directly with the IFA) referenced in the following lobbying returns:</p> <p><a href="https://www.lobbying.ie/return/26762/the-irish-farmers-association---ifa">https://www.lobbying.ie/return/26762/the-irish-farmers-association---ifa</a></p> <p>Public Consultation on the review of the Occupations Lists for Employment Permits</p> <p>Copies of submissions that focus on horticultural labour received in the <a href="#">latest consultation round</a> in January 2020 and/or the round in <a href="#">May 2019</a></p> <p>Any reports, Ministerial briefings and/or minutes of meetings from, or on behalf of, the Interdepartmental Group (IDG) for the Review of Economic Migration Policy in which horticultural labour issues and/or seasonal horticultural workers are discussed. Non-EEA Workers Pilot Scheme / Employment Permits (Amendment) Regulations 2018, Statutory Instrument No. 163 of 2018.</p>	05/10/2020	Access Part-Granted Section: 29(1)
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FOI-0126-2020	02/09/2020	Journalist	<p>In accordance with section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I wish to request access to the following records/details:</p> <p>All correspondence between the Secretary General of the Department of Business, Enterprise and Innovation in Ireland and the secretary general at the Department of Public Expenditure and Reform in relation to the roadmap for reopening the country between June 20 - August 21 2020.</p>	30/09/2020	Access Granted
FOI-0129-2020	08/09/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:</p> <p>- Copies of any request from the Office of the Director of Corporate Enforcement seeking additional staff or additional budgetary capacity and the response that was issued from the Department in each case. This request to cover the period 1 January 2019 to the current date.</p> <p>I would prefer to receive this information electronically, ideally in its original electronic format.</p>	05/10/2020	Access Granted
FOI-0130-2020	07/09/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act, 2014, I wish to request the following records:</p> <p>A copy of any minutes, agenda, notes, memos etc, from Minister Humphrey's meeting with Tesco on Mar 31; please give a list of all individuals at the meeting.</p>	05/10/2020	Access Refused Section: 15

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FOI-0131-2020	07/09/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act, 2014, I wish to request the following records:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A copy of any minutes, agenda, notes, memos etc, from Minister Humphrey's conference call/meeting with CEO of AIB on Mar 31, Apr 28 &amp; June 2; please give a list of all individuals involved in the call.</li> <li>• A copy of any minutes, agenda, notes, memos etc, from Minister Humphrey's conference call with CEO of BOI on Apr 28 and meeting on May 28; please give a list of all individuals involved in the call/meeting.</li> <li>• A copy of any minutes, agenda, notes, memos etc, from Minister Humphrey's conference call with CEO of Bank of Ulster on Apr 29 &amp; meeting on June 17; please give a list of all individuals involved in the call/meeting.</li> <li>• A copy of any minutes, agenda, notes, memos etc, from Minister Humphrey's call with BPF on June 4; please give a list of all individuals involved in the call.</li> </ul>	02/10/2020	Access Part-Granted Section: 36
FOI-0132-2020	07/09/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am requesting the release of a letter sent to the Tánaiste by Supermacs CEO about insurance reform, referred to in <a href="#">this entry</a> on the lobbying register.</p> <p><a href="https://www.lobbying.ie/return/61272/supermacs">https://www.lobbying.ie/return/61272/supermacs</a></p>	23/09/2020	Access Granted
FOI-0133-2020	09/09/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act, 2014, I wish to request the following records:</p> <p>A copy of all documents, including any subsequent correspondence and/or internal departmental communications, related to the following lobbying return:</p> <p>For assistance: <a href="https://www.lobbying.ie/return/61272/supermacs">https://www.lobbying.ie/return/61272/supermacs</a></p>	23/09/2020	Access Granted

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FOI-0134-2020	10/09/2020	Journalist	<p>I wish to make a request for records held by the Department of Business under the Freedom of Information Act.</p> <p>The records are:</p> <p><i>Submissions to the department's public consultation on the EU's Digital Services Act, which closed on July 24th 2020.</i></p> <p><a href="https://dbei.gov.ie/en/Consultations/Call-for-views-in-response-to-EC-consultation-on-Digital-Services-Act.html">https://dbei.gov.ie/en/Consultations/Call-for-views-in-response-to-EC-consultation-on-Digital-Services-Act.html</a></p>	07/10/2020	Access Granted
FOI-0137-2020	11/09/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- copies of any correspondence between your department and the Health and Safety Authority with regard to inspections of meat processing plants (MPPs) in the period 1 April 2020 to date of receipt of the request.</li> <li>- copies of any correspondence between your department and the HSA with regard to publication of inspection reports for MPPs in the same period.</li> </ul>	09/10/2020	Access Granted
FOI-0139-2020	15/09/2020	Journalist	<p>Section 11 (access to records) of the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I request access to records, which are: Non-Personal</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Correspondence (sent and received), between the Minister and all corresponding Ministers of State in their department, between 1st July to 14th September.</li> </ol>	13/10/2020	Access Refused Section: 15
FOI-0140-2020	15/09/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the 2014 FOI I am looking for the following:</p> <p>The correspondence noted here and any response from gov to the letter: <a href="https://www.lobbying.ie/return/61565/cisco-international-limited">https://www.lobbying.ie/return/61565/cisco-international-limited</a></p>	13/10/2020	Access Part-Granted Section: 37

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FOI-0141-2020	07/09/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act, 2014, I wish to request the following records:</p> <p>A copy of any minutes, agenda, notes, memos etc, from Minister Humphrey's meeting with Amcham on May 6; please give a list of all individuals at the meeting.</p>	06/10/2020	Access Refused Section: 15
FOI-0142-2020	07/09/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act, 2014, I wish to request the following records:</p> <p>A copy of any minutes, agenda, notes, memos etc, from Minister Humphrey's meeting with Sweden Trade Minister Hallberg on May 13 &amp; 29; please give a list of all individuals at the meeting.</p>	05/10/2020	Access Part-Granted Section: 33
FOI-0143-2020	07/09/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act, 2014, I wish to request the following records:</p> <p>A copy of any minutes, agenda, notes, memos etc, from Minister Humphrey's meeting with a named staff member of the Workplace Relations Commission on May 21; please give a list of all individuals at the meeting.</p>	05/10/2020	Access Part-Granted Section: 31
FOI-0144-2020	15/09/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following information:</p> <p>- A list of all submissions made to the Minister or Ministers of State at your Department using the e-submissions system (or whatever relevant/similar system is in place at your Department) in the period 1 July 2020 to the date of receipt of this request. This request is to include the date of the submission and its title.</p> <p>I am not seeking copies of the submissions themselves.</p>	13/10/2020	Access Granted



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FOI-0147-2020	21/09/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I request the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- schedule of records of data with regard to work permits for workers in the food sector in the period 1st January 2020 - present.</li> <li>- schedule of records of data relating to memos / briefs / reports and/or other review documents prepared for the Minister or senior civil servants with regard to Covid19 in meat plants, from the period 1st January 2020.</li> </ul> <p><b>**Requester agreed on September 25th to refine request to work permits specific to the meat processing sector and details of the number of permits granted by permit type.**</b></p>	21/10/2020	Access Granted
FOI-0149-2020	22/09/2020	Journalist	<p>I am making a Freedom of Information request for the following records:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Copies of the minutes of the meeting between Tánaiste Leo Varadkar and IDA Ireland clients on September 9, 2020.</li> </ul> <p>The participants of the meeting were:</p> <p>Boston Scientific, Apple, JP Morgan, Intel, Pfizer, Google, Johnson &amp; Johnson, Medtronic, Abbott, Amazon, Dell, Stryker and Accenture</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Copies of all correspondence between Mr Varadkar and the above named organisations between September 9, 2020 and September 21 2020.</li> </ul> <p>The records should include copies of any documents attached or enclosed with the correspondence.</p>	20/10/2020	Access Part-Granted Section: 33

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FOI-0150-2020	22/09/2020	Journalist	<p>I am making a Freedom of Information request for the following records:</p> <p>* Copies of the minutes of any meetings between Tánaiste Leo Varadkar and aircraft and train manufacturer Bombardier since June 27, 2020.</p> <p>*Copies of all correspondence between Mr Varadkar and Bombardier since the meeting took place.</p> <p>The records should include copies of any documents attached or enclosed with the correspondence.</p>	22/10/2020	Access Refused Section: 15
FOI-0151-2020	22/09/2020	Member of the Public	<p>Re: FOI Grants Paid To Cartrawler</p> <p>I wish to make a formal to obtain information pertaining to Pandemic Grants, Supports, Training or otherwise, availed by the following company from government bodies or other relevant departments :</p> <p><b>Cartrawler</b> Dundrum Business Park, UNIT 1-4 CLASSON HOUSE Dundrum Rd, Dublin 14, D14 R7V2</p>	20/10/2020	Access Refused Section: 15
FOI-0120-2020	29/09/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act,</p> <p>I am requesting the copies of any invitations to events sent by email or by post to the office of the Minister and junior minister(s) at the department since their appointment in June. I am also seeking the release of any correspondence sent in response to these invitations, either by the minister(s) themselves or their secretary.</p> <p>*** Requester agreed to resubmit in relation to just the Tanaiste and external meetings on 29/09/2020 after receiving records in relation to ministers of state***</p>	02/11/2020	Access Granted

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FOI-0154-2020	24/09/2020	Member of the Public	<p>I am currently conducting academic research on the Public Health (Alcohol) Bill/ Act.</p> <p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I would like to request the following records:</p> <p>All submissions and lobbying information received (full submissions, not just the list of submissions) relating to the Public Health (Alcohol) Bill/ Act received in 2017 and 2018.</p> <p>Furthermore, I am also requesting all correspondence received by your department from all other Government Departments and public representatives relating to the Public Health (Alcohol) Bill/ Act received in 2017 and 2018.</p>	04/11/2020	Access Refused Section: 15
FOI-0155-2020	24/09/2020	Member of the Oireachtas/Public Representative	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act I request the following:</p> <p>All correspondence sent by a former board member to An Tánaiste and Minister for Enterprise, Trade, and Employment, Leo Varadkar, requesting her reinstatement to the board of Design &amp; Crafts Council Ireland, as well as all response correspondence from the Tánaiste.</p>	27/10/2020	Access Refused Section: 15
FOI-0157-2020	28/09/2020	Journalist	<p>I am writing to you to request some information under the Freedom of Information Act.</p> <p>According to the Lobbying Register, the Financial Services Union emailed the Tanaiste about working from home in recent months.</p> <p>Can I please get a copy of this email and any replies or further correspondence on the matter.</p>	23/10/2020	Access Granted

## Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment Freedom of Information Log: 2020

FOI-0158-2020	29/09/2020	Journalist	<p>I am writing to request information relating to the following:</p> <p>a) From the 31st of August to the 11th of September 2020, Correspondences from/to the office of the Minister of State, Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment and County Kildare Chamber</p> <p>b) From the 31st of August to the 11th of September 2020, Correspondences from/to the office of the Minister of State, Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment and County Kildare Chamber relating to Financial support for Kildare as a result of the August lockdown</p> <p>Please proceed with this request as a formal request under the Freedom of Information Act 2014.</p>	28/10/2020	Access Refused Section: 15
FOI-0159-2020	30/09/2020	Member of the Oireachtas/Public Representative	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act I request the following:</p> <p>The minutes and all correspondence between the Tánaiste and Minister for Enterprise, Trade, and Employment relating to the below meetings: Banking Payment Federation of Ireland: 03/07/20, Strategic Banking Corporation of Ireland, Microfinance Ireland, Ireland Strategic Investment Fund, Enterprise Ireland, European Investment Bank, Local Enterprise Office, Credit Review Office, Failte Ireland, Central Bank of Ireland, Department of Agriculture, Food and the Marine, Department of Business, Department of Finance, Department of Public Expenditure and Reform, Department of Transport, Tourism and Sport, ISME, Ibec, SFA, SME Recovery Ireland; Chambers Ireland: 10/07/20, Bank of Ireland: 15/07/20, Allied Irish Banks: 15/07/20, Ulster Bank: 15/07/20, Banking Payment Federation of Ireland, Fintech and Payments Association of Ireland: 29/07/20 and Bank of Ireland/AIB/Ulster Bank: 02/09/20.</p>	27/10/2020	Access Part-Granted Sections: 35 and 36

## Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment Freedom of Information Log: 2020

FOI-0160-2020	01/10/2020	Journalist	<p>I request under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 the following records held by the Department of Business, Enterprise and Innovation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All minutes and/or other records of the meeting between Tánaiste Leo Varadkar, Minister Donohoe, Minister McGrath and representatives of the five main banks along with the Banking and Payments Federation of Ireland (BPFI) on September 28, 2020</li> <li>• All correspondence between any of the parties mentioned above in advance of the meeting</li> <li>• All briefing notes prepared for the Tánaiste in advance of the meeting</li> </ul> <p>The timeframe should cover the period of September 14, 2020 to September 28, 2020</p>	27/10/2020	Access Part-Granted Sections: 35 and 36
FOI-0161-2020	01/10/2020	Journalist	<p>I request under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 the following records held by the Department of Business, Enterprise and Innovation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All correspondence between any of: Tánaiste Leo Varadkar, Sec Gen of the Department or officials in the Commerce, Consumer and Competition division and the Consumer and Competition Protection Commission (CCPC) in relation to that body's investigation into the private motor insurance sector.</li> <li>• All minutes of meetings (virtual or otherwise) between the same parties on the topic</li> <li>• All briefing notes prepared for the Tánaiste in relation to the investigation</li> </ul> <p>The timeframe should cover the period of September 1, 2020 to September 17, 2020.</p>	29/10/2020	Access Refused Section: 15

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FOI-0162-2020	01/10/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- copies of the notes or minutes of meetings held between the Tánaiste and a named person from Google, and with a representative(s) of Facebook in September.</li> <li>- copies of the briefing notes prepared for the Tánaiste in advance of both of those meetings.</li> </ul>	30/10/2020	Access Granted
FOI-0163-2020	01/10/2020	Journalist	<p>Under Freedom of Information I wish to request access to the following records:</p> <p>All correspondence between the Tánaiste's office and Facebook, Google, LinkedIn, Amazon, Twitter, and Apple between the period June 27 and the present day.</p>	30/10/2020	Access Granted
FOI-0166-2020	07/10/2020	Journalist	<p>In accordance the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I wish to request access to the following records which I believe to be held by your office:</p> <p>“The minutes of the online meeting held on September 28 between the Tánaiste, Leo Varadkar, Minister for Finance, Paschal Donohoe, and the Minister for Public Expenditure and Reform, Michael McGrath, with the CEOs of the country’s retail banks and the Banking Payments Federation.</p> <p>I would also like access to any communication or documentation exchanged internally between officials in the Department of Business, Enterprise and Innovation at the grade of principal officer in preparation for the meetings, as well as any communication or documentation exchanged internally between officials in the Department of Business, Enterprise and Innovation at the grade of principal officer in the aftermath of the meetings.”</p>	27/10/2020	Access Part-Granted Sections: 35 and 36

## Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment Freedom of Information Log: 2020

FOI-0168-2020	07/10/2020	Business/Interest Group	<p>Request the following records:</p> <p>Any modelling or study carried out by the Dept in the last two years on the impact of a trade deal between the EU and Mercosur. Specifically, any study that examined the impact on the agricultural sector and the benefits that would emerge for the Irish economy overall.</p>	05/11/2020	Access Refused Section: 15
FOI-0169-2020	12/10/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the 2014 FOI act I am requesting the following:</p> <p>Any correspondence between the Minister(their private office, sec gen or special advisers) and Viagogo/ticketmaster or other ticket resellers in relation to the ticket touting bill between January to present.</p>	09/11/2020	Access Refused Section: 15
FOI-0170-2020	14/10/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act, 2014, I wish to request the following records:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A copy of all communications between Minister Varadkar (or his advisors/department officials) and a named person during the period June 27 to present.</li> </ul> <p>When conducting your search and retrieval please consider official information held on non-official systems, emails accounts and devices. For example, WhatsApp groups etc.</p>	16/11/2020	Access Part-Granted Section: 37
FOI-0171-2020	15/10/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:</p> <p>- copies of any minutes, notes of a meeting held between the HSA and Ministers Martin Heydon and Damien English with regard to the inspection regime for meat processing plants.</p>	13/11/2020	Access Granted

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FOI-0173-2020	19/10/2020	Journalist	<p>A copy of all documents, including any subsequent correspondence and/or internal departmental communications, related to the following lobbying return:</p> <p><a href="https://www.lobbying.ie/return/62243/mkc-communications">https://www.lobbying.ie/return/62243/mkc-communications</a></p> <p>When conducting your search and retrieval please consider official information held on non-official systems, emails accounts and devices. For example, WhatsApp groups etc.</p>	23/10/2020	Access Granted
FOI-0167-2020	08/10/2020	Journalist	<p>1 - All correspondence exchanged between the Minister for Business, Enterprise and Innovation or anyone above the grade of principal officer in his department and representatives of (a) google/YouTube/Alphabet, (b) facebook/whatsapp/Instagram, (c) Apple, (d) Microsoft, (e) Amazon and (f) Intel.</p> <p>2 - the minutes of any meetings (online or in person) between the Minister for Business, Enterprise and Innovation or anyone above the grade of principal officer in his department and representatives of (a) google/YouTube/Alphabet, (b) facebook/whatsapp/Instagram, (c) Apple, (d) Microsoft, (e) Amazon and (f) Intel.</p> <p>The correspondence should include all correspondence or communication, sent by email, text message, whatsapp, letter or any other format, between June 27, 2020 and October 7, 2020.</p> <p><b>**** on 02/11/20 Requester agreed to refine request to only include records held by the Tánaiste and the Minister's of State Offices, and also refine the request to the following areas; taxation, regulation and online safety, foreign direct investment and related State supports, infrastructure &amp; energy (i.e. public transport/motorways, data centre energy requirements, any discussion regarding last February's general election.</b></p>	09/12/2020	Access Part-Granted Sections: 35, 36, 37 and 40



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FOI-0174-2020	21/10/2020	Journalist	<p>I wish to request the following under the Freedom of Information Act 2014.</p> <p>The Department's pre-budget submission for Budget 2021.</p>	19/11/2020	Access Refused Section: 29
FOI-0176-2020	22/10/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I request the following records:</p> <p>Copies of all correspondence sent to Minister Leo Varadkar from October 19 to October 26 which related to the issue of Covid-19/Coronavirus and locking down the country.</p>	23/11/2020	Access Part-Granted Section: 37
FOI-0177-2020	22/10/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I request the following records:</p> <p>Copies of all correspondence sent to Minister Leo Varadkar which reference his appearance on RTÉ's Claire Byrne Live on October 5. The time-frame for this can be from October 5 to October 26.</p>	20/11/2020	Access Part-Granted Section: 37
FOI-0178-2020	22/10/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I request the following records:</p> <p>Copies of all correspondence sent to Minister Leo Varadkar from October 4 to October 18 which related to the issue of Covid-19/Coronavirus and locking down the country.</p>	23/11/2020	Access Part-Granted Section: 37

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FOI-0179-2020	27/10/2020	Journalist	<p>DETAILS OF REQUEST</p> <p>Section 11 (access to records) of the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I request access to records, which are: Non-Personal</p> <p>1. A copy of the Ministers work diary from 1st July to 27th October 2020.</p> <p>2. A copy of the secretary general's work diary from 1st July to 27th October 2020.</p>	24/11/2020	Access Part-Granted Sections: 15 and 37
FOI-0180-2020	27/10/2020	Journalist	<p>I am writing to request access to records held by the Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment under the Freedom of Information Act, 2014.</p> <p>Last month, an entry was made on the Lobbying Register by Ibec. <a href="https://www.lobbying.ie/return/61281/ibec">https://www.lobbying.ie/return/61281/ibec</a></p> <p>In accordance with section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I wish to request access to the following records/details:</p> <p>- All records (correspondence, reports, documents, meeting minutes) related to the following lobbying register entry by Ibec. <a href="https://www.lobbying.ie/return/61281/ibec">https://www.lobbying.ie/return/61281/ibec</a></p>	24/11/2020	Access Granted

## Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment Freedom of Information Log: 2020

FOI-0182-2020	29/10/2020	Journalist	<p>I am making a Freedom of Information request for the following records:            * Copies of all representations made to the Tánaiste on the topic of Brexit.            The representations can be limited to those sent by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Politicians</li> <li>• Businesses</li> <li>• Non-governmental organisations</li> <li>• Unions</li> <li>• Farming lobby groups</li> <li>• Tourism lobby groups</li> <li>• Business lobby groups</li> <li>• The correspondence can be limited to the period September 1 to October 29, 2020.</li> </ul> <p>The records should include copies of any documents attached or enclosed with the correspondence.</p>	11/12/2020	Access Part-Granted Sections: 36 and 37
FOI-0185-2020	03/11/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking copies of the following submissions for the minister:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Submission to exempt CCPC from Provisions of FOI &amp; Ombudsman Acts</li> <li>- September 14 th , 2020 CCPC FOI Exemption</li> <li>- September 6 th , 2020 Note on Debenhams</li> <li>- August 4 th , 2020 Regulation of Lobbying Act</li> </ul>	02/12/2020	Access Part-Granted Sections: 29 and 35

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FOI-0186-2020	03/11/2020	Journalist	<p>Section 11 (access to records) of the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I request access to records, which are: Non-Personal</p> <p>1. Correspondence (sent and received) between the Tanaiste Leo Varadkar, and any other Ministers, between 1st October and 3rd November 2020.</p>	02/12/2020	Access Part-Granted Section: 29
FOI-0187-2020	04/11/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:</p> <p>- copies of any correspondence received by the Department with regard to the 'leak' of a confidential document by the Tánaiste Leo Varadkar to the NAGP. This request to cover the period 25 October 2020 to date of receipt of the request.</p>	03/12/2020	Access Part-Granted Section: 37
FOI-0188-2020	04/11/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:</p> <p>- a copy of the pre-budget submission from your Department to the Department of Finance ahead of Budget 2021. A copy of any cover, explanatory or accompanying letters sent by the Minister or Secretary General of your Department along with the pre-budget submission.'</p>	01/12/2020	Access Granted
FOI-0190-2020	05/11/2020	Business/Interest Group	<p>To whom it may concern,</p> <p>I'd be grateful I you could provide the below information under the Freedom of Information Act.</p> <p>All circulars or other such communication from the DBEI to Local Authorities regarding the Business Restart Grants, including any guidelines / instructions on the methodology of disbursement of funds to businesses.</p>	03/12/2020	Access Granted

## Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment Freedom of Information Log: 2020

FOI-0193-2020	10/11/2020	Journalist	Under the FOI Act 2014, I am requesting the release of any correspondence by members of the public since 20 October the office of the Minister regarding the 'leaking' of a contract for GPs by the minster in 2019.	07/12/2020	Access Part-Granted Section: 37
FOI-0194-2020	11/11/2020	Journalist	I am making a Freedom of Information request for the following records:  * Copies of all correspondence between Tánaiste Leo Varadkar and the Irish Medical Organisation (IMO) between October 31, 2020 and November 11, 2020.  The records should include copies of any documents attached or enclosed with the correspondence.	09/12/2020	Access Refused Section: 15
FOI-0201-2020	17/11/2020	Member of the Public	As per my <b>previous FOI request: FOI-0154-2020</b> , I am also requesting lobbying submissions and information received relating to the Public Health (Alcohol) Bill/ Act in 2017 and 2018. I have had a look on the lobbying register and would like to receive the submissions listed in <b>the PDF document attached</b> .  I understand that the Public Officials lobbied were involved in at least one of the Lobbying Activities listed, but not necessarily all of them.	14/12/2020	Access Granted
FOI-0203-2020	18/11/2020	Journalist	In accordance with the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I wish to request access to the following:  Copies of any correspondence (letters, emails, etc) received from members of the public and others, including complaints/praise, in response to the Tánaiste's criticism of the National Public Health Emergency Team's request to move Ireland to Level 5 restrictions on RTE's Claire Byrne Live show on Monday, October 5 <sup>th</sup> . (I am interested in the content of the correspondence rather than the identity of the correspondent, except where it is a public figure, so the name of the correspondent can be redacted if it facilitates a speedier release of records.)	25/11/2020	Access Part-Granted Section: 37

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FOI-0204-2020	19/11/2020	Journalist	<p>This is a request under the freedom of information act,</p> <p>Please send me all correspondence received by the department about Leo Varadkar's sending of a confidential GP contract to a friend from October to present date.</p>	17/12/2020	Access Part-Granted Section: 37
FOI-0206-2020	24/11/2020	Journalist	<p>I request under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 the following records held by the Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All modelling work carried out by or in the possession of the department regarding the resiliency of businesses to Covid-19 public health restrictions and/or levels of the government's framework for restrictive measures as set out in the Resilience and Recovery 2020-2021: Plan for Living with COVID-19.</li> </ul> <p>The records sought include all documents, spreadsheets, correspondence, underlying data, data visualisations (charts, graphs etc) containing or otherwise related to the modelling work.</p>	22/12/2020	Access Refused Section: 15
FOI-0207-2020	24/11/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:</p> <p>Minutes and/or notes of any meetings involving Tánaiste Leo Varadkar or his advisors with Pfizer representatives since July 2020.</p>	22/12/2020	Access Part-Granted Section: 33
FOI-0208-2020	24/11/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:</p> <p>All correspondence sent and received between the Minister / department secretary general, and either Facebook, Apple, or Google, between July 1 2020 and November 24 2020.</p>	22/12/2020	Access Part-Granted Sections: 35, 36, 37 and 40

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FOI-0210-2020	27/11/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I request the following records:</p> <p>Copies of all correspondence sent to Tánaiste Leo Varadkar by former TD, minister and senator James Reilly since March of this year.</p>	23/12/2020	Access Refused Section: 15
FOI-0212-2020	30/11/2020	Member of the Public	<p>Request the following records:</p> <p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:</p> <p>a spreadsheet/table of all funding granted and subsequently paid by this department to Easkey Community Council clg (Company number 111814, registered charity number 20102692, CHY number 22428).</p> <p>This request is to include the date and amount of funding granted; the programme under which the funding was awarded; the dates and amounts subsequently paid to the organisation referenced.</p> <p>I am not seeking copies of the submissions themselves.</p>	23/12/2020	Access Refused Section: 15
FOI-0213-2020	09/12/2020	Journalist	<p>I am requesting the following information under the Freedom of Information Act.</p> <p>1) All agendas and minutes of meetings of the Interdepartmental Group on Economic Migration chaired by Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment during 2020 to date.</p> <p>2) Copies of any reports prepared for or produced by the Interdepartmental Group on Economic Migration during 2020 to date.</p>	11/01/2021	Access Granted

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FOI-0175-2020	21/10/2020	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:</p> <p>Internal minutes and memos, correspondence and follow on documentation arising from the virtual meeting between the Tánaiste; the ministers for finance and public expenditure; the chief executives of the main retail banks, and the Banking and Payments Federation of Ireland on 28 September 2020.</p>	11/11/2020	Access Part-Granted Sections: 35 and 36
FOI-0218-2020	31/12/2020	Journalist	<p>This is a request under the freedom of information act.</p> <p>Please send me all communication between IMAC - Martial Arts Ireland and Leo Varadkar or his staff on the issue of martial artists being allowed to train amid the Covid restrictions between September and December 2020.</p>	28/01/2021	Access Refused Section: 15