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FOI-0001-2023	03/01/2023	Business/Interest Group	<p>Copy of the following documentation held by the Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment (“Department”) and created between 01/12/2021 and 03/05/2022;</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. All communications between DETE officials/employees and executives/representatives of AerCap Ireland Limited, relating to potential, and actual, restrictive measures/sanctions to be imposed on Russia further to Russia’s aggressive actions towards, and later invasion of, Ukraine;</li> <li>2. All communications between DETE officials/employees and executives/representatives of the Irish Aviation Authority, relating to potential, and actual, restrictive measures/sanctions to be imposed on Russia further to Russia’s aggressive actions towards, and later invasion of, Ukraine;</li> <li>3. All communications between DETE officials/employees and executives/representatives of the Irish Aviation Working Group, relating to potential, and actual, restrictive measures/sanctions to be imposed on Russia further to Russia’s aggressive actions towards, and later invasion of, Ukraine;</li> <li>4. All communications between DETE officials/employees and executives/representatives of the Irish Business and General Aviation Association relating to potential, and actual, restrictive measures/sanctions to be imposed on Russia further to Russia’s aggressive actions towards, and later invasion of, Ukraine;</li> </ol>	03/02/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 28, 29, 33, 35, 36 and 37

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			<p>5. All communications between DETE officials/employees and executives/representatives of the Department of Transport, relating to potential, and actual, restrictive measures/sanctions to be imposed on Russia further to Russia's aggressive actions towards, and later invasion of, Ukraine impacting the aircraft leasing industry in Ireland;</p> <p>6. All communications between DETE officials/employees and executives/representatives of the Department of Foreign Affairs relating to potential, and actual, restrictive measures/sanctions to be imposed on Russia further to Russia's aggressive actions towards, and later invasion of, Ukraine) impacting the aircraft leasing industry in Ireland;</p> <p>7. All communications between DETE officials/employees and executives/representatives of the Department of an Taoiseach relating to potential, and actual, restrictive measures/sanctions to be imposed on Russia further to Russia's aggressive actions towards, and later invasion of, Ukraine;</p> <p>8. All documentation created by DETE relating to potential, and actual, restrictive measures/sanctions to be imposed on Russia further to Russia's aggressive actions towards, and later invasion of, Ukraine specifically in relation to their relevance to/impact on the aircraft leasing industry in Ireland.</p> <p>Documentation includes, but is not limited to written reproductions of all records in electronic, photographic, computerised, audio-visual or any other format.</p>		

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FOI-0002-2023			This request is made pursuant to sections 11 and 12 of the Freedom of Information Act 2014.		
	04/01/2023	Member of the Public	Under the FOI act I'm looking for the following: Internal and external communications (email, texts, Whatsapp) that discuss Altada and Allan Beechinor. From dates: August 10th 2022 to January 3rd 2023.	01/02/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 35, 36 and 37
FOI-0006-2023	10/01/2023	Journalist	Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Any emails, notes, memos, briefings and/or records in relation to a meeting between Minister English, Senator Byrne and the Kavanagh brothers on 9 November, 2022.</li> </ul>	31/01/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 36 and 37
FOI-0007-2023	10/01/2023	Journalist	Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Any emails, notes, memos, briefings and/or records in relation to a meeting between Minister English and Musgraves on 15 November, 2022.</li> </ul>	02/02/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 35, 36 and 37
FOI-0019-2023	23/01/2023	Journalist	I wish to make a request for records held by the Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment under the Freedom of Information Act. The records are:  <i>Emails sent by Deliveroo to the department in relation to the EU platform work directive, outlined on the lobbying register.</i> <a href="https://www.lobbying.ie/return/90994/deliveroo-roofoods-ltd">https://www.lobbying.ie/return/90994/deliveroo-roofoods-ltd</a>	31/01/2023	Access Granted
FOI-0005-2023	09/01/2023	Journalist	Under the Freedom of Information Act, I am requesting all documents (including external and internal correspondence, meeting notes, briefing notes, WhatsApp messages etc) in respect of contacts between aviation lessors, IBEC/Aircraft Leasing Ireland or the Aviation Working Group and the Minister/Department of	07/02/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 36 and 37

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FOI-0009-2023			Enterprise, Trade and Employment in respect of Russian sanctions on dates from February 24 to December 31, 2022.		
	17/01/2023	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. All correspondence, including emails, texts and WhatsApp or other messages on messaging apps, (sent and received) between former Minister of State Damien English and other Department of Enterprise staff, advisors, the press office, or staff/advisors in other departments, in relation to his property interests/planning applications, between 1st December 2022 and 12th January 2023.</li> <li>2. All correspondence between staff of the Department of Enterprise's Press Office and Ministerial Advisors, in relation to former Minister of State Damien English's property interests/planning applications, between 1st December 2022 and 12th January 2023.</li> </ol>	15/02/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37
FOI-0012-2023	16/01/2023	Member of the Public	Can you please provide me with a list of the names of the Irish delegates attending the WEF conference in Davos, Switzerland, the companies that they represent, What members of the Government will be in attendance, how are they getting there and who is paying for it.	14/02/2023	Refused Section: 15
FOI-0013-2023	16/01/2023	Business/Interest Group	<p>This is an FOI request for all records held by the Department relating to the sale by IDA of Folio 27073F, County Cork, being a site at Drombrow, near Bantry. The date range of the records if from 1 January 2021 to date.</p> <p>The request includes, without limitation, any briefing materials prepared for or provided to the Minister for Enterprise or any Minister of State at the Department in relation to the grant or</p>	13/02/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37

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FOI-0014-2023			refusal of consent to the sale pursuant to section 3(4) of the Industrial Development Act 1995.		
	17/01/2023	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Any emails, notes, memos, briefings and/or records in relation to a meeting held between Tanaiste Leo Varadkar and Sky's CEO Dana Strong and Irish CEO JD Buckley. The meeting took place between September 1 and December 31, according to <a href="#">Sky Ireland (1 Sep, 2022 to 31 Dec, 2022 , Public policy or programme - Lobbying.ie</a></li> </ul>	17/02/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37
FOI-0008-2023	25/01/2023	Journalist	<p><i>All correspondence to and from the Department pertaining to layoffs by tech and software giants in Ireland including Google, Facebook, Meta, Twitter, Dell in 2022 and so far in 2023.</i></p> <p><i>All correspondence to the Department about potential job losses in 2023 from all tech giants operating in Ireland.</i></p>	23/02/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 35, 36 and 37
FOI-0017-2023	24/01/2023	Journalist	<p>I request under the Freedom of Information Act the following records held by the Department of Enterprise:</p> <p>All briefing notes between the Department/it's ministers and the IDA in relation to job losses in the tech sector from November 10, 2022 to January 19, 2023.</p>	22/02/2023	Access Granted
FOI-0018-2023	19/01/2023	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:</p> <p>copies of all correspondence, whether via email or text message, between Minister Damien English and his special adviser referring or relating to either a/ the minister's register of interests, or b/ a</p>	15/02/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37

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FOI-0020-2023			<p>declaration made by the minister in a planning application to Meath County Council.</p> <p>Searches of <u>any mobile phones, relevant private email addresses and/or messaging services</u> should be considered when processing this request.</p>		
	23/01/2023	Journalist	<p>I request under the Freedom of Information Act the following records held by the Department of Enterprise:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- All correspondence between DETE and the US Embassy in Ireland and/or US government (including US Trade Ambassador Katherine Tai, US Department of Commerce, US Treasury Department or President Joe Biden) on the US Inflation Reduction Act (IRA)</li> <li>- All submissions made by DETE, including its ministers, to EU-US Trade and Technology Council (TTC), including the EU-US IRA Taskforce, on the IRA</li> <li>- All briefing notes compiled for Ministers Varadkar and Coveney in relation to same</li> </ul> <p>The timeframe should cover the period of October 25 and December 25, 2022</p>	20/02/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 33
FOI-0024-2023	01/02/2023	Journalist	<p>I wish to expand this request to include Minister Richmond. The new phrasing of the request is as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- a copy of any requests made by Simon Coveney or members of his personal staff with regard to office accommodation, computer equipment, accessories, appliances, artwork, or any other such changes to their accommodation at department headquarters. A copy of any correspondence referring or relating to the above requests.</li> <li>- a copy of any requests made by Neale Richmond or members of his staff with regard to office accommodation, computer</li> </ul>	20/02/2023	Access Refused Section: 15

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FOI-0027-2023			equipment, accessories, appliances, artwork, or any other such requests for his accommodation at department headquarters. A copy of any correspondence referring or relating to the above requests		
	01/02/2023	Journalist	In accordance with section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I wish to request access to the following records/details: – All correspondence between Leo Varadkar, An Tánaiste, two named Special Advisers and Irish Institutional Property (IIP) (between 1 Sep, 2022 and current date) in connection with the following entry on the Lobbying Register - <a href="https://www.lobbying.ie/return/91349/irish-institutional-property">https://www.lobbying.ie/return/91349/irish-institutional-property</a> – Minutes from any meeting between Leo Varadkar, An Tánaiste, Special Advisers and Irish Institutional Property (IIP) (between 1 Sep, 2022 and current date)	03/03/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37
FOI-0028-2023	02/02/2023	Member of the Public	I would like to make a request for some documents/ records. The request is being made under the FOI Act. I am looking for any documents/ records surrounding the notification of (or plans for) a collective redundancy to the Minister for Enterprise, Trade and Employment by the following two companies: 1. Paypal Europe Services Limited 2. Sodexo Ireland Limited The date range of any notifications I am looking for are starting from between 01 June 2022 and up to the present day.	03/03/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 35, 36 and 37
FOI-0016-2023	18/01/2023	Business/Interest Group	We wish to request, under the FOI Act on behalf of our Client: Connect-Ireland Initiative Limited ("Connect Ireland"), Taxback and the Taxback Group copies (in hard and soft copy format) of the following records ("records" shall be read as including all records falling within the definition of "records" under the FOI Act including all letters, emails, memorandums, typed or handwritten notes of	15/03/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 29, 31, 35, 36, 37 and 40

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			<p>meetings/telephone conversations; minutes of meetings/teleconferences; texts; reports; documents and any correspondence):</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Any and all records (including drafts thereof) generated by or held by DETE ("the Department"), or any employee or agent thereof, including any representations/communications made to DETE, in relation to the Succeed-in-Ireland Initiative between 25 March 2022 and 19 December 2022;</li> <li>2. Any and all records (including drafts thereof) generated by or held by DETE, or any employee or agent thereof, including any representations/communications made to DETE, regarding any report requested by Taoiseach Leo Varadkar in his former capacity as Tánaiste and Minister for Enterprise, Trade and Employment from the Industrial Development Agency (Ireland) (the "IDA") between 1 September 2022 and 19 December 2022 regarding the Succeed-in-Ireland Initiative; and</li> <li>3. Any and all records (including drafts thereof) generated by or held by DETE or any employee or agent thereof, including any representations/communications made to DETE, in relation to the correspondence exchanged between Connect Ireland and Leo Varadkar in his former capacity as Tánaiste and Minister for Enterprise, Trade and Employment and/or the board members of the IDA between 1 September 2022 and 19 December 2022.</li> <li>4. The report prepared by the IDA at the request of DETE detailing the basis for the arbitration between Connect Ireland and the IDA; details of the present status of each of the modules involved in the arbitration process; and any conclusions that have been reached to date as mentioned in DETE's letter to Connect Ireland on 19 December 2022. Please be advised that a blanket application of the confidentiality exemption to the entire report will not be upheld. For the purposes of this FOI request, "person" shall be read as including a body corporate (whether a corporation aggregate or a</li> </ol>		



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FOI-0032-2023			corporation sole) and an unincorporated body of persons, as well as an individual). If any of the requested records are, to your knowledge, held by one or more other FOI bodies, such as the IDA, we ask that you give a copy of this request to the heads of such bodies under Section 12(3) of the FOI Act.		
	16/02/2023	Business/Interest Group	Under the FOI Act 2014 I wish to request a copy of the notification in respect of the collective redundancy issued by Bluechip Financial Consultants on the 24 <sup>th</sup> of November 2021.  We require any documentation associated with that notification including an acknowledgement, automated or otherwise.	15/03/2023	Access Refused Sections: 15 and 36
FOI-0033-2023	20/02/2023	Member of the Public	Under the FOI Act 2014, I wish to request a copy of any notifications made to the Minister in respect of collective redundancy issued by Google Ireland or Alphabet in 2023.	15/03/2023	Access Refused Section: 15
FOI-0037-2023	27/02/2023	Journalist	I am writing to request access to records held by your organisation under the Freedom of Information Act, 2014. In accordance with section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I wish to request access to the following records/details:  Any communications, by letter between Insurance Ireland and the department from June 2022 to the current date. Any internal briefings prepared for the Minister by the Department between September 2022 and the current date on the impact of proposed Right To Be Forgotten Laws.	27/03/2023	Access Granted
FOI-0038-2023	27/02/2023	Journalist	In accordance with the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I request the following records which I believe to be held by the Department:	28/03/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 29

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FOI-0040-2023			<p>Correspondence received by Minister Simon Coveney from the Minister for Social Protection concerning a communication from the EU Commission about the addition of COVID-19 to the list of reportable occupational diseases.</p> <p>All following correspondence related to same, and ministerial briefing notes on same.</p>		
	09/03/2023	Journalist	<p>I'd like to request under the FOI Act 2014 access to the following records/documents:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All correspondence between AWS, Microsoft or Google and Minister Simon Coveney between January 31 and the present day related to data centres</li> <li>• All correspondence between AWS, Microsoft or Google and officials at the Department of Enterprise above the grade of assistant secretary between January 31 and the present day related to data centres</li> <li>• All correspondence between Cloud Infrastructure Ireland and Minister Simon Coveney between January 31 and the present day related to data centres</li> <li>• All correspondence between Cloud Infrastructure Ireland and officials at the Department of Enterprise above the grade of assistant secretary between January 31 and the present day related to data centres</li> <li>• All records/minutes/briefing notes related to any meetings between officials above the grade of assistant secretary</li> </ul>	06/04/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 30 and 37

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			<p>and Cloud Infrastructure Ireland between January 31 and the present day</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All records/minutes/briefing notes related to any meetings between Minister Simon Coveney and Cloud Infrastructure Ireland between January 31 and the present day</li> </ul>		
FOI-0041-2023	09/03/2023	Journalist	<p>I'd like to request under the FOI Act 2014 access to the following records/documents:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Minutes/briefing notes/records related to a meeting between officials at Dept of Enterprise and TikTok on February 2<sup>nd</sup></li> <li>Minutes/briefing notes/records related to a meeting between Minister Simon Coveney and TikTok on March 1<sup>st</sup></li> </ul>	05/04/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37
FOI-0042-2023	09/03/2023	Journalist	<p>I wish to request the following under the Freedom of Information Act 2014:</p> <p>Copies of the central registers maintained by the Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment, as per its obligations as set out under Department of Public Expenditure and Reform Circular</p>	06/04/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37

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FOI-0043-2023			<p>01/2020: Procedures for Offsetting the Emissions Associated with Official Air Travel.</p> <p>Under the Circular, it is expected that registers contain details of individual flights, associated greenhouse gas emissions, and the monetary value calculated for each flight to be paid into the Climate Action Fund by the Department.</p>		
	10/03/2023	Member of the Public	<p>I am submitting an FOI request under the Act for records which support and uphold the contention of Minister Simon Coveney, in a Dail reply to Deputy Carol Nolan on 7th March 2023 –</p> <p>ref 11268/23], that the state of 'non binary 'exists' and records which show that this state of non binary is a real and verifiable reality and that the state of non binary is recognised in the Irish Constitution and in the Gender Recognition Act 2015.</p> <p>I am also seeking records which provide a legal definition of and the authoritative source of that definition for the following terms referred to in the Minister's Dail reply you Deputy Nolan:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Gender</li> <li>2. Gender identity</li> <li>3. Gender expression</li> </ol>	05/04/2023	Access Refused Section: 15

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			I am also seeking records which clarify if a person's sexual orientation is legally deemed to have changed when a person's sex and gender are legally deemed to have changed under Section 18 of the Gender Recognition Act 2015.		
FOI-0045-2023	10/03/2023	Journalist	<p>REQUEST FOR ACCESS TO INFORMATION</p> <p>Freedom of Information Act 2014</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>1.</b> A breakdown or amount in fees paid to '<b>Rory's Stories</b>' speaker Rory O'Connor, to provide guest talks to the department in 2022, between 1st August and 1st December 2022</li> <li><b>2.</b> All department correspondence with Rory O'Connor in relation to any guest speaker appearance for the department for the above talks, between 1st August and 1st December 2022</li> <li><b>3.</b> Internal department correspondence related to the selection and fees for guest speaker talks by '<b>Rory's Stories</b>' speaker Rory O'Connor in 2022, between 1st August and 1st December 2022</li> </ol>	11/04/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 36 and 37
FOI-0046-2023	21/03/2023	Journalist	I wish to make an application under the Freedom of Information Act.	11/04/2023	Access Granted

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FOI-0047-2023			The application is for minutes of all meetings held to date of the Enterprise Digital Advisory Forum.		
	21/03/2023	Journalist	Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Any minutes and follow-on emails sent in relation to a meeting held between Minister English and Boliden Tara Mines on October 11.</li> </ul>	11/04/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37
FOI-0048-2023	22/03/2023	Journalist	Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Any correspondence sent to, or from, the offices of Leo Varadkar, or any of his private secretaries / advisors, that reference the name Barbie Kardashian, from June 2020 until December 2022.</li> <li>- Any other material which contains the name Barbie Kardashian and was created, received, or otherwise amended, from June 2020 until December 2022.</li> </ul>	20/04/2023	Access Refused Section: 15
FOI-0049-2023	23/03/2023	Business/Interest Group	We wish to make an application under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 to seek a copy of a business case that was submitted by the Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment to the Department of Finance in advance of Budget 2021 in relation to the introduction of the Section 481A Digital Games Tax Credit.	12/04/2023	Access Granted
FOI-0050-2023	24/03/2023	Journalist	Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:	24/04/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37

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FOI-0052-2023			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Any correspondence or records created (between 1/1/2021 and 24/3/23) within this Department which refer to the International Defence Exhibition and Conference (IDEX) for 2023 and also for 2025 held in Abu Dhabi, UAE</li> </ul>		
	28/03/2023	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:</p> <p>- copies of all correspondence between the department and either the IDA or D/PER with regard to terms and conditions, salary, contractual arrangements for the new CEO of the IDA.</p>	26/04/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 30, 35 and 37
FOI-0053-2023	30/03/2023	Journalist	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Acts 2014 et al I would like to request copies of records showing details of the costs of travel and associated expenses for all Senior and Junior Ministers and their delegations for the St Patrick's Day trips to celebrate the day in 2023.</p> <p>To include, but not be limited to, the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Records showing the names, positions, titles of those who travelled and their official functions as part of the Department's delegations this year</li> <li>Records showing the costs of all travel for every member on each trip</li> <li>Records showing what class of travel was booked for all travellers individually</li> <li>Records showing the accommodation details and total costs for each person</li> </ul>	03/05/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37

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FOI-0054-2023			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Also, any other records showing any other costs organised or incurred by the department, e.g., gifts, presentations, receptions, guest hospitality, photography, flowers etc.</li> </ul>		
	11/04/2023	Journalist	Under the FOI Act 2014, I am requesting the release of details of all pieces of email correspondence containing the terms "trans", "transgender", "transgenderism", "gender", and "sexuality" sent to Minister Simon Coveney's office from members of the public between 1 January and 31 March	10/05/2023	Access Refused Section: 15
FOI-0055-2023	11/04/2023	Journalist	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act, I am seeking access to the following records: Any correspondence between Minister Simon Coveney/Minister's Office and representatives of the following companies, dated between December 15, 2022 and April 5, 2022.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Elon Musk.</li> <li>Tesla Inc.</li> <li>Apple Inc.</li> <li>Intel.</li> <li>Facebook.</li> <li>Stripe.</li> <li>Paddy Cosgrave.</li> <li>Facebook/Meta.</li> <li>Microsoft.</li> <li>Amazon.</li> </ul>	13/05/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37



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FOI-0056-2023	11/04/2023	Journalist	Under the FOI Act 2014, I am requesting the release of all pieces of email correspondence containing the terms public containing the terms "eviction", "eviction ban" sent to Minister Simon Coveney's office from members of the public between 1 January and 31 March	10/05/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37
FOI-0057-2023	11/04/2023	Journalist	Under the FOI Act 2014, I am requesting the release of details of all pieces of email correspondence containing the terms "trans", "transgender", "transgenderism", "gender", and "sexuality" sent to Minister of State Neale Richmond's office from members of the public between 1 January and 31 March	09/05/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37
FOI-0058-2023	11/04/2023	Journalist	Under the FOI Act 2014, I am requesting the release of all pieces of email correspondence containing the terms public containing the terms "eviction", "eviction ban" sent to Minister of State Neale Richmond's office from members of the public between 1 January and 31 March.	05/05/2023	Access Refused Section: 15
FOI-0060-2023	12/04/2023	Journalist	Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I request the following records: Copies of the minutes of the meeting, as well as any supplementary material provided at the meeting, between the Small Firms Association and Minister Simon Coveney which is detailed in this lobbying report: <a href="#">Small Firms Association (SFA) (1 Jan, 2023 to 30 Apr, 2023 , Public policy or programme - Lobbying.ie</a>	13/05/2023	Access Granted
FOI-0062-2023	12/04/2023	Journalist	Please find below a request under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 for: 1. Records relating to correspondence with or meetings with TikTok (including but not limited to minutes of meetings etc) 2. From 01 Oct 2022 to date	10/05/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37

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FOI-0064-2023	18/04/2023	Member of the Public	<p>Can you supply me with the following details under the Freedom of Information Act 2014</p> <p><b>1)</b> Copies of all receipts of hotel accommodation, flights, Transport costs eg buses, trains etc, Food costs related to Minister Coveney visit to Australia for St Patricks Day Events 2023</p> <p><b>2)</b> If any bills have yet to be paid regarding foreign trip as of end of business on 17 April 2023. If so please provide a brief description of why the bill has yet to be paid eg DFA have yet to invoice the DETE seeking to recoup their costs relating to hotel accommodation for this trip</p> <p><b>3)</b> Copies of all receipts of hotel accommodation, flights, Transport costs eg buses, trains etc, Food costs related to any staff member of Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment that accompanied the Minister on this trip.</p>	17/05/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37
FOI-0065-2023	24/04/2023	Member of the Public	<p>I am making a request under the Freedom of Information Act 2014.</p> <p>I am requesting;</p> <p>Copy of the following documentation held by the Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment ("Department") and created between 01/03/2023 and 21/04/2023;</p> <p><b>1.</b> All communications between DETE officials/employees and officials/employees of the National Cyber Security Centre, relating to potential, and actual, restrictive measures to be imposed on the use of TikTok on public servant devices or by public servants;</p> <p><b>2.</b> All communications between DETE officials/employees and officials/employees of the Department of An Taoiseach relating to potential, and actual, restrictive measures to be imposed on the use of TikTok on public servant devices or by public servants;</p> <p><b>3.</b> All communications between DETE officials/employees and</p>	22/05/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 35

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			<p>and officials/employees of the Department of the Environment, Climate and Communications relating to potential, and actual, restrictive measures to be imposed on the use of TikTok on public servant devices or by public servants;</p> <p><b>4.</b> All documentation created by DETE relating to potential, and actual, restrictive measures to be imposed on the use of TikTok on public servant devices or by public servants;</p> <p>Documentation includes, but is not limited to written reproductions of all records in electronic, photographic, computerised, audiovisual or any other format.</p>		
FOI-0066-2023	24/04/2023	Member of the Public	<p>I wish to request access to the following records under the Freedom of Information Act:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- copies of all records relating to sanctions imposed on a department official over their use of social media, referred to by Minister Simon Coveney in response to PQ 14510/23, to include details of the post that resulted in the sanction, and any subsequent disciplinary processes</li> </ul>	25/05/2023	Access Refused Section: 37
FOI-0067-2023	24/04/2023	Member of the Public	<p>I wish to request access to the following records under the Freedom of Information Act:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- all records, including internal emails and other correspondence involving the minister, his advisers and other department officials, relating to the preparation, drafting and finalisation of the response to PQ reference 14943/23</li> </ul>	23/05/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 37 and 42
FOI-0068-2023	03/05/2023	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. Copies of all lobbying correspondence between Minister for Enterprise Simon Coveney and the following organisations and individuals:</p>	31/05/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 36 and 37

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			<p>2. Minutes of meetings between the Minister for Enterprise Simon Coveney and the following organisations and individuals:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Twitter, including but not limited to Sinead McSweeney/</li> <li>2. TikTok, including but not limited to, Susan Moss.</li> <li>3. Facebook/Meta, including but not limited to, Dualta O’Broin, Stephanie Anderson.</li> <li>4. Microsoft, including but not limited to, Ciaran Conlon</li> <li>5. Google, including but not limited to, Ryan Meade</li> <li>6. Cloud Infrastructure Ireland</li> <li>7. Amazon</li> <li>8. Huawei</li> </ol> <p>The time period for this request is records between 1st January and 24th April 2023. The request would also include copies of any documents attached to records/emails.</p>		
FOI-0069-2023	25/04/2023	Journalist	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I am seeking the following information:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A list of gifts/high value items kept by the Department.</li> </ul> <p>This should include a list of items handed over to the Department by ministers, Oireachtas office holders, TDs and Senators - by name.</p> <p>Please include a description of the items and their estimated value. The FOI is to cover the period February 2020- present.</p>	26/05/2023	Access Refused Section: 15
FOI-0071-2023	26/04/2023	Journalist	<p>In accordance with the Freedom of Information Act, I request access to the following records which are non-personal and which I</p>	26/05/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 35, 36 and 37

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			<p>believe are held by the Department of Enterprise and Trade, dated between December 1, 2022 and the date of this request:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A record of correspondence between UPS and the Minister's office in relation to Dublin Airport.</li> <li>• A record of meeting minutes, notes, and associated documents arising out of and shared at meetings between the minister and UPS.</li> </ul>		
FOI-0072-2023	02/05/2023	Member of the Public	<p>I gcomhréir le hAlt 12 de chuid an Acht um Shaoráil Faisnéise, iarraim rochtain ar thaifid: neamh-phearsanta. Seo iad na taifid atá iarraidh agam ná:</p> <p>Táim ag iarriadh gach leagan den Phlean Gníomhaithe ar son na hAeráide, atá de dhualgas ag gach eagraíocht a bheith acu de réir an Acht Aeráide, le</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Sonraí iomlán de gach Phleann a bhí agat ó dul-i-bhfeidhm an Achta</li> <li>2. Dáta ar a foilsíodh gach Plean</li> <li>3. Dáta ar a chuaigh gach Plean i bhfeidhm</li> <li>4. An méid airgead, miondhealaithe de réir cúiseanna na gcoastas, a caitheadh ar chruthú agus ar chur i bhfeidhm gach Plean</li> </ol>	02/06/2023	Access Refused Section: 15

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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0074-2023	02/05/2023	Journalist	<p>I would like to request, under the Freedom of Information Act, access to the following records/information:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Minutes, correspondence or briefing materials related to a meeting between Dara Calleary and eircom Limited per the lobbying register <a href="#">eircom Limited (1 Jan, 2023 to 30 Apr, 2023 , Public policy or programme - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a></li> </ul>	30/05/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37
FOI-0076-2023	09/05/2023	Journalist	<p>This request under the FOI Act is for the following records:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. A list setting out all representations to the Minister for Enterprise, Trade and Employment or his Department between June 1st 2022 and March 31st 2023 on the Communications Regulation and Digital Hub Development Agency (Amendment) Bill of 2022 or on the Act signed into law by the President on March 2nd 2023.</li> <li>2. Any correspondence on the Bill between the Minister for Enterprise, Trade and Employment and any other Minister or TD.</li> <li>3. Any observations made by Minister for Enterprise, Trade and Employment on Cabinet preparations for the Bill, the Bill itself and any observations on the proposed Government amendments to the Bill.</li> </ol>	19/06/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 33, 35, 36 and 37

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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
			<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4. Any submissions on the Bill or reports, assessments or correspondence provided to the Minister for Enterprise, Trade and Employment or his Department by any company, business representative group or any diplomatic mission.</li> <li>5. Any legal opinions on the Bill provided to the Minister for Enterprise, Trade and Employment.</li> <li>6. Any submissions suggesting any amendments to the Bill that were provided to the Minister for Enterprise, Trade and Employment or his Department by any company, business representative group or any diplomatic mission.</li> <li>7. The minutes of any meetings with the Minister for Enterprise, Trade and Employment on the Bill and any correspondence on the arrangements for such meetings.</li> </ol>		
FOI-0077-2023	10/05/2023	Journalist	<p>I wish to submit the following FOI Request:</p> <p>Records of all emails from TikTok and/or its representatives, and any subsequent replies from the Department, relating to the Government's decision to advise staff to remove TikTok from official devices.</p> <p>I wish to cover the time period: 14/04/23 - Present Day</p>	08/06/2023	Access Refused Section: 15
FOI-0078-2023	10/05/2023	Journalist	<p>Under the 2014 FOI act I am requesting the following</p> <p>Submissions from DECC to the national industrial strategy for offshore wind.</p>	07/06/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 28 and 37
FOI-0079-2023	09/05/2023	Journalist	<p>In accordance with the Freedom of Information Act, I request access to the following records which are non-personal and which I</p>	25/05/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37

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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0080-2023			<p>believe are held by the Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment, dated between January 1, 2023 and the date of this request:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A record of complaints to the Department and its ministers from members of the public and constituents in relation to rising food prices at supermarkets and retailers.</li> </ul>		
	10/05/2023	Journalist	<p>Under Freedom of Information I wish to request access to the following records:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All correspondence between Ministers in the Department and the Competition and Consumer Protection Commission between the period 01 May 2023 and the present day</li> </ul>	08/06/2023	Access Granted
FOI-0082-2023	12/05/2023	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. A copy of all SIPO Statement of Interests forms submitted by department staff of PO grade and above to the department secretary general for the year 2022.</p>	14/06/2023	Access Refused Sections: 37 and 41
FOI-0083-2023	15/05/2023	Journalist	<p>I wish to make a request for records held by the Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment under the Freedom of Information Act. The records are:</p> <p>Letter sent by Klarna to Minister Richmond, sent on April 3rd 2023, according to the lobbying register <a href="#">Klarna Bank AB (1 Jan, 2023 to 30 Apr, 2023 , Public policy or programme - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a></p>	26/05/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37



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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0084-2023	16/05/2023	Member of the Public	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I am seeking a copy of the following two sets of records held by the Department of Enterprise</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>For the period 1 September 2022 – 31 April 2023: Notes from phone calls/meetings/emails between the aircraft leasing firm AerCap and Department designated public official Ronnie Downes, (as disclosed here in the register of lobbying: <a href="#">AerCap Holdings N.V. (1 Sep, 2022 to 31 Dec, 2022 , Public policy or programme - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a> ; and any follow-up correspondence following those meetings, whether in postal, email or other form.</li> <li>I also hereby request a copy of the records granted pursuant to FOI-0001-2023. According to your FOI Log for 2023, this request was part-granted on 3 February 2023."</li> </ul>	14/06/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 33, 35, 36 and 37
FOI-0085-2023	16/05/2023	Journalist	<p>I would like to request, under the Freedom of Information Act, access to the following information/records:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All records/minutes/briefing notes/correspondence related to a phone call between Intel Ireland Limited and Declan Hughes, Assistant Secretary (Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment), as referenced in the lobbying register <a href="#">Intel Ireland Limited (1 Jan, 2023 to 30 Apr, 2023 , Public policy or programme - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a></li> </ul>	14/06/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37
FOI-0086-2023	16/05/2023	Journalist	<p>I would like to request, under the Freedom of Information Act, access to the following information/records:</p>	14/06/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 36 and 37

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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All records/minutes/briefing notes/correspondence related to a meeting between Intel Ireland Limited and Orlaigh Quinn, Secretary General (Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment), as referenced in the lobbying register <a href="#">Intel Ireland Limited (1 Jan, 2023 to 30 Apr, 2023 , Public policy or programme - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a> The meeting seems to have been in the form of a visit by Orlaigh Quinn to the company's Leixlip campus.</li> </ul>		
FOI-0087-2023	16/05/2023	Journalist	<p>In accordance with the Freedom of Information Act, I request access to the following information and records: Minutes of meeting from Minister Neil Richmond’s emergency retail forum meeting on Wednesday May 10, 2023. Any briefing notes, correspondence, or documents, emails relating to these meetings. The date of the request is from May 3 to May 16, 2023</p>	15/06/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 29, 36 and 37
FOI-0088-2023	16/05/2023	Journalist	<p>In accordance with the Freedom of Information Act, I request access to the following information and records:</p> <p>All correspondence relating to the drafting and publication of the press release entitled ‘Comments from Minister Neale Richmond following meeting of the Retail Forum’ issued after the Ministers emergency meeting of the Retail Forum meeting on May 10th.</p> <p>The documents should include all related drafts and written discussion – including messaging services and texts - and correspondence involving the minister, ministerial advisors and officials. The period of the search is from May 8 to May 12, 2023.</p>	14/06/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37

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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0089-2023	16/05/2023	Journalist	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 I wish to request to the following records:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- a copy of the dossier of grocery price rises and alleged price gouging referred to by Minister of State Neale Richmond in media interviews in advance of the Retail Forum meeting on 10 May 2023 that he said he would be presenting at the meeting.</li> <li>- copies of all correspondence held by the Department in relation to the compiling of the aforementioned dossier.</li> <li>- correspondence between Minister Richmond and his officials and advisers in relation to the aforementioned dossier, including any emails, text messages, WhatsApps, Signal, Telegram and other forms of electronic communication.</li> </ul>	14/06/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 36
FOI-0090-2023	17/05/2023	Journalist	<p>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 Department of Enterprise and Trade, dated between March 1, 2023, and the date of this request:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A record of correspondence to an from the Minister's office regarding Shein and the opening of the Company's new regional hub in Dublin in May 2023. This should include but is not limited to a records of briefing documents, draft briefing documents, memos, emails, letters and text messages about the company/event.</li> </ul>	14/06/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 36 and 37

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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0092-2023	18/05/2023	Journalist	Request the following records:  I am making a request under the Freedom of Information Act for any records, communications or file notes relating to the meeting between Minister Leo Varadkar and Delivery Riders held at 16:30 on 9 March 2021 as recorded in the minister's online diary.	16/06/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37
FOI-0093-2023	22/05/2023	Journalist	I am making a request under the Freedom of Information Act for any records, communications or file notes relating to the meeting between the then Tainiste and Minister of Enterprise, Leo Varadkar TD; Matthew Lynch; and Giles Derrington, Head of Public Affairs. Deliveroo held on 23 November 2021 as detailed in the Register of Lobbying at <a href="#">Hume Brophy (1 Sep, 2021 to 31 Dec, 2021 , Public policy or programme - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a>	20/06/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37
FOI-0094-2023	22/05/2023	Journalist	I am making a request under the Freedom of Information Act for any records, communications or file notes relating to the meeting between (then) Tainiste and Minister for Enterprise, Leo Varadkar, TD and Paddy Quinlan, Country Manager, Deliveroo Ireland held on 7 May 2021 as detailed in the Minister's diary published online by your department.	20/06/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37
FOI-0095-2023	22/05/2023	Journalist	Under the FOI Act 2014, I am requesting the release of the following records:	20/06/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 30, 35, 36 and 37

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Minutes or notes taken at a meeting attended by the minister and departmental officials with Apple Distribution International</li> <li>Any briefings or memos prepared for the minister in advance of this meeting</li> <li>Any correspondence sent by Apple to the minister's office arising from this meeting (either before or afterwards)</li> </ul> <p>For reference, my request relates to <a href="#">Apple Distribution International Ltd. (1 Jan, 2023 to 30 Apr, 2023 , Legislation - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a> on the Lobbying register.</p>		
FOI-0096-2023	22/05/2023	Journalist	<p>I wish to make a request for records held by the Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment under the Freedom of Information Act. The records are:</p> <p>Letters sent by Euronext Dublin to the department and Minister Coveney, regarding companies delisting from the Irish stock exchange <a href="#">Irish Stock Exchange plc trading as Euronext Dublin (1 Jan, 2023 to 30 Apr, 2023 , Public policy or programme - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a></p>	20/06/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 35 and 37
FOI-0097-2023	22/05/2023	Journalist	<p>I would like to request the following information under the Freedom of Information Act 2014:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Any minutes taken during a meeting between the Minister for Enterprise, Trade and Employment and representative(s) of IKEA on a date between 1 January and 30 April 2023, regarding IKEA's operations in Ireland</li> </ul>	20/06/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 36 and 37

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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0099-2023			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Any correspondences exchanged in relation to this meeting</li> <li>Any briefing documents or other materials which were exchanged between the Department and IKEA in relation to the meeting, or which were prepared by the Department in relation to the meeting</li> </ul>		
	23/05/2023	Member of the Oireachtas/Public Representative	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I am seeking the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All briefing materials prepared and provided by officials of the Department and the Competition &amp; Consumer Protection Commission for the use of Minister of State Neale Richmond TD, his appointed advisers and his Private Secretary for the meeting of the Retail Forum which took place on May 10th, 2023.</li> </ul>	20/06/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 29, 36 and 37
FOI-0100-2023	24/05/2023	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am requesting the following records:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Minutes or notes taken at any meetings this year attended by the minister and departmental officials with Meta regarding US data transfers</li> <li>· Any briefings or memos prepared for the minister or officials in advance of such meetings</li> </ul>	22/06/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37

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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0101-2023			<p>· Any correspondence sent by Meta to the minister's office arising from this meeting (either before or afterwards)</p> <p>For reference, my request relates to <a href="#">Meta Platforms Ireland Ltd (1 Jan, 2023 to 30 Apr, 2023 , Public policy or programme - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a> on the Lobbying register.</p>		
	25/05/2023	Journalist	<p>I would like to request, under the Freedom of Information Act, access to the following information/records:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Emails to and from Irish Institutional Property related to the role of real estate institutional investors in enabling foreign direct investment, per the lobbying register</li> </ul> <p><a href="#">Irish Institutional Property (1 Jan, 2023 to 30 Apr, 2023 , Public policy or programme - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a></p>	22/06/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37
FOI-0102-2023	25/05/2023	Journalist	<p>I would like to request, under the Freedom of Information Act, access to the following information/records:</p> <p>A letter from the Irish Stock Exchange plc trading as Euronext Dublin to Simon Coveney regarding the potential delistings of two flagship companies from the Irish market, per the lobbying register <a href="#">Irish Stock Exchange plc trading as Euronext Dublin (1 Jan, 2023 to 30 Apr, 2023 , Public policy or programme - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a></p>	23/06/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 35 and 37
FOI-0104-2023	29/05/2023	Journalist	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act, could you please release to me to following records:</p> <p>1. A letter sent by representatives of the National Lottery to Minister Neale Richmond between 1 Jan and 30th April of this year, as covered <a href="#">Premier Lotteries Ireland Designated Activity Company (1 Jan, 2023 to 30 Apr, 2023 , Public policy or programme - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a> in the Lobbying register, and any</p>	14/06/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37

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FOI-0070-2023			subsequent correspondence or documentation, including but not limited to replies, minutes of meetings, phone calls, etc.		
	25/04/2023	Journalist	<p>Under FOI law I would like copies of the following records.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. All internal correspondence and memos relating to corporate governance and other issues of concern in relation to the European Consumer Centre's board from November 1, 2022 to Feb 28th.</li> <li>2. All briefing documents for Ministers on this issue, including the resignation of the majority of the ECC's directors in Feb 2023.</li> <li>3. All communications with external parties, such as the European Commission and the CCPC, on these issues.</li> </ol> <p>I believe the documents should be released in the public interest given the amount of state funding supplied to the ECC and its important role in protecting consumer rights.</p>	06/07/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 31, 35 and 37
FOI-0075-2023	08/05/2023	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act, I am requesting internal and external communications (email, texts, Whatsapp) related to Zoom and their lobbying of Ministers Coveney and Callery and the company's report on remote working. (Ref: <a href="#">Zoom Video Communications (1 Jan, 2023 to 30 Apr, 2023 , Public policy or programme - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a>)</p>	27/06/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37
FOI-0098-2023	23/05/2023	Journalist	<p>Under FOI law I would like to make a new request for all correspondence received and sent by the Department on the issue of the ECC Ireland from March 1st to May 23rd.</p> <p>I believe there is a strong public interest in such records being released.</p>	19/07/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 35 and 37
FOI-0103-2023	29/05/2023	Journalist	Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following	27/06/2023	Access Part-Granted



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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All briefing notes, meeting minutes, emails and details of all follow up correspondence related to the following entry on the Lobbying register <a href="#">TikTok (1 Jan, 2023 to 30 Apr, 2023 , Public policy or programme - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a></li> </ul>		Section: 37
FOI-0106-2023	08/06/2023	Journalist	<p>“All email correspondence and meeting minutes between Analog Devices and the department in relation to the EU Chips Act and the microelectronics sector in Ireland between Jan 1st 2023 and Apr 30th 2023 as referenced in the lobbying register here: <a href="#">Analog Devices (1 Jan, 2023 to 30 Apr, 2023 , Matters involving public funds - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a></p>	06/07/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 35, 36 and 37
FOI-0107-2023	06/06/2023	Business/Interest Group	<p>The Migrant Rights Centre Ireland would like to make a request under the Freedom of Information Act, 2014 to obtain copies of all the submissions made (including late submissions) to the DETE in respect of the Consultation on Seasonal Employment Permit and Transfer of Employment Permit. The closing date for submissions was COB March 30th, 2023.</p>	04/07/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 33 and 36
FOI-0108-2023	08/06/2023	Journalist	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act, I am requesting the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All written communications between the minister, junior ministers and their advisers in the department with Deliveroo (Roofoods Ltd) - including emails and text messages - on the subject of the EU Platform Work Directive between January 1st, 2022 and June 8th, 2023.</li> </ol>	06/07/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 33 and 37

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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0109-2023			<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2. The minutes of any meetings between the above parties and representatives of Deliveroo (Roofoods Ltd) over the same period.</li> <li>3. Any briefing documents or memos prepared for the minister or junior ministers on the subject of the EU Platform Work Directive from January 1st, 2023 to June 8th, 2023.</li> </ol>		
	09/06/2023	Journalist	<p>This Freedom of Information request is for the following records:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Any correspondence since January 1, 2023, between the Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment or the Minister and Euronext Dublin or its parent Euronext on the future of the Irish Stock Exchange.</li> <li>2. Any submissions to the Department or the Minister in that period from Euronext on the same topic.</li> <li>3. Any minutes or notes from any meetings between the Department or the Minister and Euronext and any papers or reports prepared for such meetings.</li> <li>4. Any correspondence or submissions to Department or the Minister in that period from any other organisation on the future of the Irish Stock Exchange and the delisting of certain companies from the exchange.</li> </ol>	06/07/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37
FOI-0111-2023	13/06/2023	Journalist	<p>I am requesting the following information under the Freedom of Information Act 2014:</p> <p>Correspondence between the Minister for Enterprise, Trade &amp; Employment Simon Coveney/ secretary general of the Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment, and the head of the Corporate Enforcement Authority, including any letters or emails,</p>	11/07/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 15 and 29

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FOI-0112-2023			along with minutes of any meetings between the two sides, since December 1st, 2022.		
	16/06/2023	Journalist	Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:  - a copy of any records held referring or relating to the setting of salary level for the post of CEO of the Health and Safety Authority. - copies of any correspondence between the Department and either a/ D/PER or b/ the Health and Safety Authority with regard to the above.	14/07/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37
FOI-0113-2023	19/06/2023	Journalist	Under FOI law I would like to receive copies of the following records.  <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Any correspondence from the head of the Corporate Enforcement Authority to the Department from June 1 2022 to date concerning CEA staff and resourcing issues.</li> <li>2. Any correspondence received by the Department in the same time period from current or former CEA staff or gardai concerning staffing issues at the CEA.</li> <li>3. Any copies of correspondence from the CEA or the gardai concerning garda secondments at the CEA and the issue of garda recruitment at the CEA over the same period.</li> </ol> I believe there is a public interest in such records being released.	14/07/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 29 and 35
FOI-0114-2023	19/06/2023	Journalist	Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I am seeking the following please:  - all correspondence, emails, letters etc between the Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment and grocery retailer Iceland from 15 January 2023 to 16 June 2023.	19/07/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 35, 36 and 37

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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0117-2023	20/06/2023	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Any emails, notes, memos, briefings and/or records in relation to a meeting between Simon Coveney and Musgraves between January 1 and April 30th, 2023 as per this <a href="#">Musgrave Group (1 Jan, 2023 to 30 Apr, 2023, Public policy or programme - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie)</a> lobbying request.</li> </ul>	14/07/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37
FOI-0119-2023	22/06/2023	Journalist	<p>I am requesting the following information under the Freedom of Information Act 2014:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Correspondence/memos/briefings/minutes of meetings from Medicines for Ireland relating to the future of research and development tax credits between June 1st 2022 and to date.</li> <li>Correspondence/memos/briefings/minutes of meetings from the Irish Pharmaceutical Healthcare Association relating to the future of research and development tax credits between June 1st 2022 and to date.</li> </ul>	19/07/2023	Access Refused Section: 15
FOI-0122-2023	23/06/2023	Journalist	<p>I am making a Freedom of Information request for the following records:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Copies of all correspondence between Minister Simon Coveney and representatives of Meta.</li> </ul>	21/07/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 36 and 37

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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0125-2023			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Copies of the minutes of all meetings between Mr Coveney and representatives of Meta.</li> </ul> <p>The time period can be limited to 1/1/2023 to 23/6/2023</p> <p>The records should include copies of any documents attached or enclosed with the correspondence.</p>		
	28/06/2023	Member of the Public	<p>In accordance with the Freedom of Information Act 2014,</p> <p>I wish to request access to any record which lists additional facilities or services recommended or provided in your department / office / body for cyclists since publication of the Government's Climate Action Plan in 2022.</p>	11/07/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37
FOI-0116-2023	20/06/2023	Member of the Oireachtas/Public Representative	<p>To ask the Minister for ETE for the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Any emails, memos, letters or submissions and their attachments were relevant, between Boliden Tara and officials within the Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment at the level of Principal Officer and above</li> </ol>	16/08/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 36 and 37

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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0127-2023	29/06/2023	Journalist	<p>regarding energy costs at its Tara Mines between 1st September 2022 and 15th June 2023;</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2. Any emails, memos, letters or submissions and their attachments were relevant, between officials within the Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment at the level of Principal Officer and above regarding energy costs at its Tara Mines between 1st September 2022 and 15th June 2023;</li> <li>3. Any emails, memos, letters or submissions and their attachments were relevant, between the Minister for Enterprise, Trade and Employment and officials within the Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment at the level of Principal Officer and above regarding energy costs at its Tara Mines between 1st September 2022 and 15th June 2023;</li> <li>4. Any emails, memos, letters or submissions and their attachments were relevant, between Boliden Tara and the Minister for Enterprise, Trade and Employment regarding energy costs at its Tara Mines between 1st September 2022 and 15th June 2023;</li> <li>5. Any minutes of meetings held between Boliden Tara and the Minister for Enterprise, Trade and Employment between 1st September 2022 and 1st January 2023.</li> </ol>	26/07/2023	Access Refused Section: 15
			Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:		

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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0128-2023			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Any emails, notes, memos, briefings and/or records between Minister Simon Coveney and executives at Shein since January 2023</li> </ul>		
	29/06/2023	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Any emails, notes, memos, briefings and/or records between Minister Leo Varadkar and Shein executives since June 2020 and December 2022.</li> </ul>	26/07/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 35, 36 and 37
FOI-0129-2023	29/06/2023	Member of the Public	<p>FOI Request under the FOI 2014 Act.</p> <p>Please can you send to me in electronic format, preferably on excel sheets, a full copy of the Department's general ledger for 2020-2022. The information should include all items and details from which the Department completed its Annual Appropriation Accounts for the years ending 2020-2022.</p>	27/07/2023	Access Refused Section: 15
FOI-0130-2023	04/07/2023	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Briefings or submissions sent to the Department on work permits from Meat Industry Ireland between January 2023 and 30 June 2023.</li> <li>-Minutes of any meetings held between Department officials and Meat Industry Ireland in relation to work permits between January 2023 and 30 June 2023.</li> <li>-Any memos circulated to the minister or within the department regarding work permits in the meat processing sector between January 2023 and 30 June 2023.</li> </ul>	01/08/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 29, 30, 36 and 37

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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0131-2023	04/07/2023	Journalist	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I would like to request the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Copies of emails to and from the Minister for Enterprise, Trade and Employment regarding the Right to Request Remote Work Bill 2021 in the period Nov 1st 2021 to Feb 22nd 2022.</li> <li>2. Copies of email to and from the Minister for Enterprise, Trade and Employment regarding the Work Life Balance and Miscellaneous Provisions Act 2023 in the period Jan 1st 2023 to April 4th 2023.</li> <li>3. Copies of emails to and from the Secretary-General of the Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment regarding the Right to Request Remote Work Bill 2021 in the period Nov 1st 2021 to Feb 22nd 2022.</li> <li>4. Copies of emails to and from the Secretary-General of the Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment regarding the Work Life Balance and Miscellaneous Provisions Act 2023 in the period Jan 1st 2023 to April 4th 2023.</li> </ol>	01/08/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 29, 31 and 37



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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0138-2023	18/07/2023	Journalist	<p>Under the 2014 Freedom of Information Act I am requesting the following in electronic form:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Any correspondence between the Department of Enterprise and Chinese clothing company Shein in relation to Shein's decision to set up a Europe, Middle East and Africa (EMEA) headquarters in Dublin</li> <li>*Any correspondence between the Department of Enterprise and Shein in relation to Shein's work practices</li> <li>*Any correspondence between the Department of Enterprise and IDA Ireland about Shein's decision to set up an EMEA headquarters in Dublin</li> <li>*Any correspondence between the Department of Enterprise and IDA Ireland in relation to Shein's work practices</li> <li>*Any correspondence between the Department of Enterprise and IDA Ireland in relation to possible due diligence on Shein before it was allowed to set up its EMEA headquarters in Dublin.</li> </ul> <p>The timeframe for the correspondence is 1 June 2021 to date.</p>	09/08/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37
FOI-0123-2023	10/08/2023	Member of the Public	<p>I would like to receive a copy of all of the information pertaining to, or referring to the meetings held on;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• March 10th 2021 between ourselves, (ELSU), Leo Varadkar, three named DETE Staff Members, SIPTU, Migrant Rights Centre of Ireland , Irish Network Against Racism and Immigrant Council of Ireland and any correspondence between the Department that contains any reference to the attendees of this meeting, especially ELSU and myself.</li> <li>• June 23rd 2023 between a named DETE Staff Member, Departmental officials and myself.</li> <li>• all meetings related to lobbying from Deliveroo, Uber, Just Eat related to platform working/delivery drivers</li> </ul> <p>all minutes and correspondence of the LEEF Working Group chaired by Neale Richmond TD.</p>	07/09/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 35, 36 and 37

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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0126-2023	28/06/2023	Member of the Public	<p>In accordance with the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I wish to request access to</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. any records which show or analyse the carbon footprints of persons for whom your department / office / body pays, directly or indirectly, travel expenses; and</li> <li>2. any records which outline measures taken in your department / office / body to reduce carbon footprints associated with travel since the government's Climate Action Plan was published.</li> </ol>	31/08/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37
FOI-0133-2023	28/07/2023	Member of the Public	Any records particularly involving Davy, KPMG and the Bank of Ireland and the restructuring of poultry sector between 1997 and 2004 and any records of the consideration of VAT as State Aid approaching the end of milk quotas in the dairy sector 2013-15.	05/09/2023	Access Refused Section: 15
FOI-0140-2023	27/07/2023	Journalist	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act, I am seeking access to the following records: Any correspondence between Minister Simon Coveney/Minister's Office and representatives of the following companies, dated from 1st April 2023 to July 25, 2023.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Elon Musk.</li> <li>-Tesla Inc.</li> <li>-Apple Inc.</li> <li>-Intel.</li> <li>-Facebook.</li> <li>-Stripe.</li> <li>-Paddy Cosgrave.</li> <li>-Facebook/Meta.</li> <li>-Microsoft.</li> <li>-Amazon.</li> <li>-Google.</li> </ul>	25/08/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 35, 36 and 37

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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0141-2023	31/07/2023	Journalist	<p>I'd like to request the following information from the Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment under the Freedom of Information Act 2014.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Minutes of all meetings between the Department of Enterprise and the Low Pay Commission from 1st January 2023 to 31st July 2023</li> <li>• Correspondence between the Minister and the Low Pay Commission from 1st January 2023 to 31st July 2023</li> <li>• Draft reports of A universal basic income for Ireland: Lessons from the international literature that the Department received, if any, and any feedback, written or otherwise, given by the Minister or the Department</li> </ul>	28/08/2023	Access Refused Sections: 15 and 29
FOI-0143-2023	01/08/2023	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:</p> <p>- a spreadsheet/database/record on work permits for Q3 and Q4 of 2022, and Q1 and Q2 of 2023. This record to include details of the number of permits that were refused/declined, the sector associated with those permits, the nationality associated with those permits, and a brief line description/categorisation for why the work permit was refused/declined.</p>	29/08/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 15
FOI-0145-2023	09/08/2023	Member of the Public	<p>Under the Freedom of Information act, I would like the following:</p> <p>Records (emails, Teams chats, Whatsapps) of:</p> <p>Communications to or from Allan Beechinor or Altada, Internal communications concerning Allan Beechnior to cover January 3rd 2023 to the present day</p>	01/09/2023	Access Refused Section: 15

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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0149-2023	16/08/2023	Journalist	<p>I wish to make an application under the Freedom of Information Act. The application is for</p> <p>(a) the minutes of all meetings held to date of the Working Group on Trustworthy AI Principles and Guidelines;</p>	13/09/2023	Access Granted
FOI-0150-2023	23/08/2023	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following information:</p> <p>Any emails, notes, memos, briefings and/or records relating to a meeting held between Simon Coveney and Mastercard Ireland on April 2, 2023.</p> <p>As agreed on 23/08/2023 administrative emails between officials may be omitted from this schedule.</p>	20/09/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 35, 36 and 37
FOI-0154-2023	15/08/2023	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following information:</p> <p>Any emails, notes, memos, briefings and/or records relating to a meeting held between Simon Coveney and Tirlán on April 6, 2023</p>	12/09/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 36 and 37
FOI-0155-2023	23/08/2023	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following information:</p> <p>Any emails, notes, memos, briefings and/or records relating to a meeting held between Simon Coveney and Aughnish Alumina on May 10, 2023</p> <p>As agreed on 23/08/2023 administrative emails between officials may be omitted from this schedule.</p>	30/08/2023	Access Refused Sections: 36 and 37

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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0156-2023	15/08/2023	Journalist	Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following information:  Any emails, notes, memos, briefings and/or records relating to a meeting held between Simon Coveney and Tara Mines on June 15, 2023.	12/09/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 36 and 37
FOI-0158-2023	23/08/2023	Journalist	Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following information: Any emails, notes, memos, briefings and/or records relating to a meeting held between Simon Coveney and Vodafone on May, 2nd 2023.  As agreed on 23/08/2023 administrative emails between officials may be omitted from this schedule.	19/09/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 36 and 37
FOI-0160-2023	23/08/2023	Journalist	Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following information: Any emails, notes, memos, briefings and/or records relating to a meeting held between Simon Coveney and Microsoft on May 9, 2023.  As agreed on 23/08/2023 administrative emails between officials may be omitted from this schedule.	20/09/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 30, 35, 36 and 37
FOI-0161-2023	21/08/2023	Journalist	Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following information:  Any emails, notes, memos, briefings and/or records relating to a meeting held between Simon Coveney and Sky Ireland May 4, 2023.	18/09/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 35 and 37
FOI-0165-2023	22/08/2023	Business/Interest Group	Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I am seeking copies of all submissions made to the Public consultation on the review of the occupations lists for employment permits in 2023	04/09/2023	Access Refused Sections: 29 and 30

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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0171-2023	29/08/2023	Journalist	Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following information:  Any emails, notes, memos, briefings and/or records relating to a meeting held between Simon Coveney and Essilor Luxottica on June 14, 2023.	13/09/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 35, 36 and 37
FOI-0151-2023	28/08/2023	Journalist	Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following information:  Any emails, notes, memos, briefings and/or records relating to a meeting held between Simon Coveney and officials from the workplace regulation and economic migration division on April, 26.	25/09/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 28
FOI-0166-2023	28/08/2023	Journalist	Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following information:  Any emails, notes, memos, briefings and/or records relating to a meeting held between Simon Coveney and Amazon Web Services on June 22, 2023.	25/09/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 36 and 37
FOI-0167-2023	12/09/2023	Journalist	Any emails, notes, memos, briefings and/or records between the Minister, Secretary General and Assistant Secretaries relating to a meeting held between Simon Coveney and Nephin Energy on June 1, 2023.	10/10/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 35 and 37
FOI-0168-2023	28/08/2023	Journalist	Under the Freedom of Information Act, 2014, I am requesting records relating to correspondence and meetings between the Department of Enterprise and Metron Stores Ltd in 2023.	25/09/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 35, 36 and 37
FOI-0169-2023	29/08/2023	Journalist	Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following information:	26/09/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37

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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0170-2023			Any emails, notes, memos, briefings and/or records relating to a meeting held between Simon Coveney and CCPC on May 24, 2023		
	29/08/2023	Journalist	Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following information:  Any emails, notes, memos, briefings and/or records relating to a meeting held between Simon Coveney and Stryker on May 30, 2023	26/09/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 35, 36 and 37
FOI-0172-2023	30/08/2023	Journalist	I wish to make a request for records held by the Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment under the Freedom of Information Act.  The records are:  All email correspondence, letters and meeting minutes in relation to following meeting between the department and Sky: Introductory Meeting for Sky Ireland and Sky UK CEOs, covering off Sky's perspective on a number of issues including the Online Safety & Media Regulation Act, 'network fees', and the impact of content piracy on the wider audiovisual sector, as referenced on the lobbying register: <a href="#">Sky Ireland (1 May, 2023 to 31 Aug, 2023 , Public policy or programme - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a> The meeting took place between 1 May and 31 Aug 2023.	27/09/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 35 and 37
FOI-0173-2023	30/08/2023	Journalist	Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:  - a copy of any records held referring or relating to the decision of the IDA to take two cases to the High Court relating to decisions of the Information Commissioner. This were a/ a case involving release of a client survey and b/ a case relating to the purchase of land by the IDA in Co Louth.	22/09/2023	Access Refused Section: 15

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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0174-2023					
	31/08/2023	Journalist	<p>I wish to make a request for records held by the Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment under the Freedom of Information Act.</p> <p>The records are:</p> <p>All email correspondence, letters and meeting minutes in relation to a meeting between Eir and the department, as referenced on the lobbying register: <a href="#">eircom Limited (1 May, 2023 to 31 Aug, 2023 , Public policy or programme - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a></p> <p>The meeting took place between 1 May and 31 Aug 2023.</p>	28/09/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37
FOI-0175-2023	01/09/2023	Journalist	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 I am seeking a list of e-submissions submitted to the Minister for Enterprise through the e-submissions channel.</p> <p>I wish for my request to cover the period from 01-08-2023 - 31-08-2023.</p>	30/09/2023	Access Granted



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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0176-2023	05/09/2023	Journalist	<p>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 Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment, dated between June 1, 2023 and the date of this request:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A record of correspondence and associated documents between O’Callaghan Properties, Cork Chamber and the offices of Minister Simon Coveney regarding the development and supply of apartments in Cork city and county. This should include, but is not limited to, letters, emails, text messages, WhatsApp messages, memos, notes, reports, draft reports and other submissions.</li> <li>• A record of the minutes of meetings involving O’Callaghan Properties, Cork Chamber and Minister Simon Coveney regarding the development and supply of apartments in Cork city and county. This should include records of any meeting notes, associated reports, presentations and correspondence shared/referenced at meetings with O’Callaghan Properties.</li> </ul> <p>The following may be of assistance with this request: <a href="#">O'Callaghan Properties (1 May, 2023 to 31 Aug, 2023 , Public policy or programme - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a></p>	04/10/2023	Access Refused Section: 15

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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0177-2023					
	05/09/2023	Journalist	<p>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 Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment, dated between June 1, 2023 and the date of this request:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A record of correspondence and associated documents between Sky Ireland and the offices of Minister Simon Coveney regarding online safety, media regulation, network fees, content piracy and other issues relating to Sky Ireland’s business. This should include, but is not limited to, letters, emails, text messages, WhatsApp messages, memos, notes, reports, draft reports and other submissions.</li> <li>• A record of the minutes of meetings involving between Sky Ireland and the offices of Minister Simon Coveney regarding online safety, media regulation, network fees, content piracy and other issues relating to Sky Ireland’s business. This should include records of any meeting notes, associated reports, presentations and correspondence shared/referenced at meetings with Sky Ireland.</li> </ul> <p>The following may be of assistance with this request: <a href="#">Sky Ireland (1 May, 2023 to 31 Aug, 2023 , Public policy or programme - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a></p>	04/10/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 35 and 37
FOI-0179-2023	08/09/2023	Journalist	I wish to make an application under the Freedom of Information Act.	06/10/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37

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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0180-2023			The application is for copies of any correspondence re FDI companies received from Technology Ireland group since January 1, 2023		
	11/09/2023	Journalist	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act, I am seeking access to the following records:</p> <p>All correspondence held by The Department in relation to the establishment of an AI Advisory Council dated between January 1st, 2023 and September 9th, 2023.</p> <p>This should include any internal briefing notes, reports, and official department correspondence regarding this group.</p> <p>It should also include any representations made to The Department about the group's establishment, and membership.</p>	17/10/2023	Access Granted
FOI-0181-2023	11/09/2023	Journalist	<p>In a press release issued on November 16th, 2022, the Department announced the Government's decision to move towards the establishment of a national living wage based on 60 per cent of the national median wage and to have this in place by 2026.</p> <p>The then Tanaiste, Leo Varadkar, was quoted expressing support for the policy which was adopted on foot of a recommendation by the Low Pay Commssion.</p> <p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:</p> <p>Any assessments, evaluations or briefing documents relating to the anticipated cost, both to Government and private sector, the likely response of the private sector and the general impact of such a move.</p>	09/10/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 15

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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0182-2023			I believe the report from the Commission was delivered in. March of 2022 and so I would like the period covered by my request to cover from then until the November 16th announcement.		
	11/09/2023	Journalist	<p>I am making a Freedom of Information request for the following records:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Copies of all correspondence between Minister Simon Coveney and the following individuals and companies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Elon Musk;</li> <li>- X/Twitter;</li> <li>- Space X;</li> <li>- Starlink;</li> <li>- Tesla.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Copies of all the minutes of any meetings between the above individuals/companies.</li> </ul> <p>The time period can be limited to 1/1/2023 to 11/9/2023.</p> <p>The records should include copies of any documents attached or enclosed with the correspondence.</p>	25/09/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 36 and 37
FOI-0183-2023	11/09/2023	Journalist	<p>I am making a Freedom of Information request for the following records:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Copies of all correspondence between Minister Simon Coveney and Sky Ireland/Sky UK.</li> <li>• Copies of all the minutes of meetings between Mr Coveney and Sky Ireland/Sky UK.</li> </ul> <p>The time period can be limited to 1/5/2023 to 11/9/2023.</p>	09/10/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 35 and 37

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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0184-2023			The records should include copies of any documents attached or enclosed with the correspondence.		
	13/09/2023	Member of the Public	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I am seeking the release of all records relating to the meeting held between the Minister for Enterprise, Simon Coveney TD, and the Irish Exporters Association at the Shelbourne Hotel, as listed <a href="#">Irish Exporters Association (1 May, 2023 to 31 Aug, 2023 , Public policy or programme - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a></p> <p>This should include, but is not limited to, records of any meeting minutes, meeting notes, a list of attendees, briefing material, associated reports, presentations and correspondence shared and/or referenced at the meeting.</p> <p>I also request any letters, emails, text messages, WhatsApp messages, memos, notes, reports, draft reports and any other relevant records that were created, sent or received before, during or after the meeting.</p> <p>Please also include a copy of any invoices or costs associated with the dinner event.</p>	10/10/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37
FOI-0185-2023	13/09/2023	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following information:</p> <p>Any emails, notes, memos, briefings and/or records relating to a meeting held between Simon Coveney and DHL on May 23, 2023.</p>	17/10/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 35, 36 and 37
FOI-0186-2023	13/09/2023	Journalist	Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following information:	09/10/2023	Access Part-Granted

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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0187-2023			Any emails, notes, memos, briefings and/or records relating to a meeting held between Simon Coveney and IPHA on April 5, 2023		Sections: 35 and 37
	12/09/2023	Member of the Public	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I am seeking the release of all records relating to the meeting held between the Minister for Enterprise, Simon Coveney TD, and the Irish Australian Chamber of Commerce, as listed <a href="#">Irish Australian Chamber of Commerce Pty Ltd (1 May, 2023 to 31 Aug, 2023 , Public policy or programme - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a></p> <p>This should include, but is not limited to, records of any meeting minutes, meeting notes, a list of attendees, briefing material, associated reports, presentations and correspondence shared and/or referenced at the meeting.</p> <p>I also request any letters, emails, text messages, WhatsApp messages, memos, notes, reports, draft reports and any other relevant records that were created, sent or received before, during or after the meeting.</p>	13/10/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 36 and 37
FOI-0189-2023	19/09/2023	Member of the Public	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I am seeking the release of all records relating to correspondence between the Minister for Enterprise, Simon Coveney TD, and Mediahuis Ireland Group Limited, as listed <a href="#">Mediahuis Ireland Group Limited (1 May, 2023 to 31 Aug, 2023 , Legislation - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a></p>	17/10/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37

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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0190-2023			This should include, but is not limited to, any letters, emails, text messages, WhatsApp messages, memos, notes, reports, draft reports and any other relevant records that were created, sent or received by the Minister's office.		
	19/09/2023	Journalist	<p>I note on the lobbying register that Bank of America records a meeting with Minister Simon Coveney in the US, where a number of tax matters were discussed <a href="#">Bank of America (1 May, 2023 to 31 Aug, 2023 , Public policy or programme - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a></p> <p>Under the Freedom of Information Act, I am seeking any records relevant to the meeting including briefing notes, minutes of the meeting, material presented etc.</p>	17/10/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 35 and 36
FOI-0191-2023	19/09/2023	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:</p> <p>All submissions made with regard to the public consultation to review the eligibility of occupations appearing on the Critical Skills Occupations List and the Ineligible Occupations List for employment permits.</p>	11/10/2023	Access Refused Sections: 29 and 30
FOI-0192-2023	19/09/2023	Journalist	I'd like to request, under the Freedom of Information Act, access to the following info/records:	17/10/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 35 and 36

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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0193-2023			All records/minutes/briefing notes/correspondence related to a meeting between Bank of America and Simon Coveney, <a href="#">Bank of America (1 May, 2023 to 31 Aug, 2023 , Public policy or programme - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a>		
	19/09/2023	Journalist	<p>I would like to request the following information under the Freedom of Information Act 2014:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Any minutes from a meeting between Minister Simon Coveney and Paul Donofrio, vice chairman of Bank of America, while the Minister was on a visit to the US between the dates 1 May 2023 and 31 Aug 2023. The meeting was in relation to the bank's ESG focus and presence in Ireland, and the potential implications of tax reforms</li> <li>• Any correspondences between the Department and Bank of America regarding the above meeting, including any follow up emails/letters</li> <li>• Any briefing documents prepared by the Department for the Minister in advance of the meeting</li> <li>• Any supplementary documents exchanged between the parties in relation to the meeting</li> </ul>	17/10/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 35 and 36
FOI-0194-2023	19/09/2023	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. Copies of any applications for approval of the terms of conditions of chief executives of commercial State bodies, under the Code of</p>	09/10/2023	Access Refused Section: 15



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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0195-2023			Practice for the Governance of State Bodies, sent to the Minister for approval, between 1st January 2021 and 19th September 2023.  Note: If there has been no applications you can just refuse this request.		
	19/09/2023	Journalist	This application under the Freedom of Information Act is for the following records: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. All correspondence since September 1st, 2022, between the Minister or the Department and TikTok, its owner ByteDance or any of their agents or advisors; and all associated records or files including minutes of any meetings or phone calls with TikTok, notes in advance of such engagements, and any written submissions from the company or any of its agents or advisors.</li> <li>2. Any internal correspondence within the Department or reports prepared for the Department on TikTok.</li> <li>3. Any correspondence on TikTok between the Department and IDA Ireland or notes of meetings between them on that topic.</li> <li>4. Any correspondence on TikTok between the Department or any other Department.</li> </ol>	17/10/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 29, 35, 36 and 37
FOI-0197-2023	20/09/2023	Journalist	I wish to make a request for records held by the Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment under the Freedom of Information Act.  The records are:	19/10/2023	Access Refused Section: 15

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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0198-2023			Notes and minutes taken from phone calls between the department and Barclays in relation to the bank's EU headquarters, as referenced on the lobbying register. <a href="#">Barclays Bank Ireland PLC (1 May, 2023 to 31 Aug, 2023 , Public policy or programme - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a> The calls took place between 1 May and 31 Aug 2023.		
	20/09/2023	Business/Interest Group	We request the following information pursuant to Section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act, 2014:  <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. A copy of all correspondence with the Irish National Accreditation Board (INAB) and / or the National Standards Authority of Ireland (NSAI) in relation to the suspension on or about 11 July 2023 of NSAI's accreditation to certify Quality Management Systems and Environmental Management Systems (QMS ISO 9001 and EMS ISO 14001);</li> <li>2. A copy of all correspondence with INAB and / or NSAI in relation to the reinstatement on or about 1 September 2023 of NSAI's accreditation to certify Quality Management Systems and Environmental Management Systems (QMS ISO 9001 and EMS ISO 14001);</li> <li>3. A copy of all correspondence with the European Commission in relation to the suspension of NSAI's accreditation referred to at Paragraph 1 above.</li> </ol>	18/10/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37
FOI-0201-2023	21/09/2023	Member of the Public	Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I am seeking the release of all records relating to the meeting held between the Minister of State, Neale Richmond TD, and Retail Excellence Ireland, as listed <a href="#">Retail Excellence Ireland (1 May, 2023 to 31 Aug, 2023 , Legislation - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a>  This should include, but is not limited to, records of any meeting minutes, meeting notes, a list of attendees, briefing	17/10/2023	Access Refused Section: 15

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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0203-2023			<p>material, associated reports, presentations and correspondence shared and/or referenced at the meeting.</p> <p>I also request any letters, emails, text messages, WhatsApp messages, memos, notes, reports, draft reports and any other relevant records that were created, sent or received before, during or after the meeting.</p>		
	25/09/2023	Member of the Public	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I am seeking the release of all records relating to the meeting held between the Minister of State, Neale Richmond TD, and Amazon Ireland, as listed <a href="#">Amazon Ireland Support Services Limited (1 May, 2023 to 31 Aug, 2023 , Public policy or programme - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a></p> <p>This should include, but is not limited to, records of any meeting minutes, meeting notes, a list of attendees, briefing material, associated reports, presentations and correspondence shared and/or referenced at the meeting.</p> <p>I also request any letters, emails, text messages, WhatsApp messages, memos, notes, reports, draft reports and any other relevant records that were created, sent or received before, during or after the meeting.</p>	23/10/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 36 and 37
FOI-0205-2023	25/09/2023	Member of the Public	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I am seeking the release of all records relating to the meeting held between the Minister of State, Dara Calleary TD, a named Assistant Secretary and Google Ireland, as listed <a href="#">Google Ireland Limited (1 May, 2023 to 31 Aug, 2023 , Legislation - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a></p> <p>This should include, but is not limited to, records of any meeting minutes, meeting notes, a list of attendees, briefing</p>	23/10/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37

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FOI-0196-2023			<p>material, associated reports, presentations and correspondence shared and/or referenced at the meeting.</p> <p>I also request any letters, emails, text messages, WhatsApp messages, memos, notes, reports, draft reports and any other relevant records that were created, sent or received before, during or after the meeting.</p>		
	26/09/2023	Journalist	<p>I wish to make a request for records held by the Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment under the Freedom of Information Act. The records are:</p> <p>All email correspondence, letters and meeting minutes between Aughinish and the department in relation to employment and the Russian invasion of Ukraine, as referenced on the lobbying register: <a href="#">Aughinish Alumina Limited (1 May, 2023 to 31 Aug, 2023 , Public policy or programme - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a> Between 1 May and 31 Aug 2023.</p> <p>This FOI relates specifically to engagement at: (2) Mid-West Business Luncheon at Strand Hotel, Limerick.</p>	31/10/2023	Access Refused Sections: 35, 36 and 37
FOI-0202-2023	22/09/2023	Journalist	<p>I wish to make a request for records held by the Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment under the Freedom of Information Act. The records are:</p> <p>All email correspondence, letters and meeting minutes between Vulcan Consulting, on behalf of Organon, and the department in relation to the EU Medical Device Regulation, as referenced on the lobbying register: <a href="#">Vulcan Consulting Limited (1 May, 2023 to 31 Aug, 2023 , Public policy or programme - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a> Between 1 May and 31 Aug 2023.</p>	28/10/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37

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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0207-2023	02/10/2023	Journalist	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 I am seeking a list of esubmissions submitted to the Minister for Enterprise through the e-submissions channel.</p> <p>I wish for my request to cover the period from 01-09-2023 - 30-09-2023.</p>	31/10/2023	Access Granted
FOI-0209-2023	03/10/2023	Member of the Public	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking a copy of your organisation's policy regarding the payment of 'ordinary remuneration' to staff while suspended pending the conclusion of disciplinary processes. I am particularly interested in your organisation's policy regarding payment of staff on suspension, as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Is remuneration paid to staff who are suspended, i.e., is there a continuation of full salary or is their salary reduced?</li> <li>• If paid full salary, does this include allowances?</li> <li>• If reduced, does your Department exclude any/all allowances that are normally paid? If so,</li> <li>• What type of allowances do you continue to pay, and which allowances cease?</li> <li>• Where staff whose allowances were stopped during suspension, and they subsequently are cleared of all allegations of misconduct are allowances repaid to staff?</li> </ul> <p>In addition to the above, I would appreciate it if you could let me know the number of people suspended, pending the conclusion of disciplinary processes, by your organisation in each year 2020 to</p>	01/11/2023	Access Granted

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FOI-0210-2023			2023 and details as to whether all such individuals received their normal pay, including allowances, during the period of suspension.		
	03/10/2023	Journalist	<p>Under the 2014 FOI act I am requesting the following.</p> <p>The correspondence referenced here: <a href="#">Electricity Supply Board (1 May, 2023 to 31 Aug, 2023 , Public policy or programme - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a></p> <p>And any response given to the ESB.</p>	02/11/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 36
FOI-0211-2023	04/10/2023	Journalist	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 I am seeking the following documents:</p> <p>The following e-submissions and ancillary documents sent to the Minister for Enterprise Simon Coveney. - Minister Consent - Apple Operations, Cork00079-23</p> <p>I wish for my request to cover the period from 1/8/2023 - 30/8/23.</p>	01/11/2023	Access Granted
FOI-0213-2023	12/10/2023	Member of the Public	<p>I wish to make a request under the Freedom of Information Act for the following:</p> <p>All documents in the Department between the Minister and senior officials and any outside entities relating to the funding of the Cork Event Centre and Budget 2024 for the period May 2023 to 12 October 2023</p>	10/11/2023	Access Refused Section: 15
FOI-0223-2023	23/10/2023	Journalist	<p>Please find below a request under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 for:</p> <p>1. Records of meetings of a working group set up to examine the conversion of office accommodation to residential use</p>	10/11/2023	Access Refused Section: 15

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FOI-0227-2023			For reference, the group in question is the inter-departmental group referred to in this article: <a href="#">Coveney says 'time is right' to convert unused offices for housing   Business Post</a>		
	27/10/2023	Journalist	Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:  - copies of any records held referring or relating to the following lobbying activity on behalf of Shorecal Ltd: <a href="#">Hume Brophy (1 May, 2023 to 31 Aug, 2023 , Public policy or programme - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a>	15/11/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37
FOI-0216-2023	18/10/2023	Member of the Public	Could you supply me with the following information under the FOI Act 2014  1) Any correspondence between the Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment and Corporate Enforcement Authority (formally Office of Director of Corporate Enforcement) seeking approval for the recruitment of additional or replacement of staff at the HEO or equivalent and higher. I'm looking for the information for the period of 1st January 2022 to date in 2023	16/11/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 29 and 35
FOI-0217-2023	18/10/2023	Journalist	Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:  All correspondence between the National Cybersecurity Centre and the Department between March 1 2023 and October 15 2023 All advice given to staff at the department related to cybersecurity and personal devices in 2023	16/11/2023	Access Refused Sections: 15 and 33

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FOI-0218-2023					
	19/10/2023	Journalist	<p>Please find below a request under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 for:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. A list of all e submissions sent to the cabinet minister in your Department during the period July 01-Oct 10 of 2023.</li> </ol> <p>Please note, I am not looking for the esubs themselves, just a list of their titles</p>	17/11/2023	Access Granted
FOI-0226-2023	10/11/2023	Journalist	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:</p> <p>All records - correspondence, meeting minutes etc – of interactions between Newsbrands Ireland and the Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment concerning taxation and employment matters contained in the following lobbying activity: <a href="#">NewsBrands Ireland (1 Jan, 2023 to 30 Apr, 2023 , Legislation - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a></p> <p>Records can include parallel communications via text and Whatsapp, briefing notes etc.</p> <p>Searches of any relevant mobile phones, private email addresses and/or messaging services should be considered when processing this request</p>	08/12/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37
FOI-0228-2023	01/11/2023	Journalist	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 I am seeking a list of esubmissions submitted to the Minister for Enterprise through the e-submissions channel.</p>	29/11/2023	Access Granted



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			I wish for my request to cover the period from 01-10-2023 - 31-10-2023.		
FOI-0229-2023	01/11/2023	Journalist	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Copies of all lobbying correspondence (sent and received including attachments) between Minister Coveney and Microsoft between 1st August and 19th October</li> </ul>	29/11/2023	Access Refused Section: 15
FOI-0230-2023	01/11/2023	Journalist	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Copies of all lobbying correspondence (sent and received including attachments) between Minister Coveney and MSD between 1st August and 19th October</li> </ul>	22/11/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37
FOI-0231-2023	01/11/2023	Journalist	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Copies of all lobbying correspondence (sent and received including attachments) between Minister Coveney and Meta between 1st August and 19th October</li> </ul>	29/11/2023	Access Refused Section: 15
FOI-0232-2023	01/11/2023	Journalist	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Copies of all lobbying correspondence (sent and received including attachments) and minutes of meetings and briefings prepared for any meetings between Minister Coveney and Ibec between 1st August and 20th October</li> </ul>	29/11/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37
FOI-0233-2023	01/11/2023	Journalist	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Copies of all lobbying correspondence (sent and received including attachments) and minutes of meetings and briefings prepared for any meetings between Minister Coveney and Intel between 1st August and 20th October</li> </ul>	08/12/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 36 and 37
FOI-0237-2023	03/11/2023	Journalist	Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking the following:	01/12/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37

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FOI-0239-2023			<p>-Ibec's letter to Simon Coveney. Mentioned in <a href="#">Ibec (1 May, 2023 to 31 Aug, 2023 , Public policy or programme - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a> Please also include any responses from the government.</p> <p>Records can include parallel communications via text and Whatsapp, briefing notes etc.</p> <p>Searches of any relevant mobile phones, private email addresses and/or messaging services should be considered when processing this request.</p>		
	06/11/2023	Member of the Public	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Acts, I wish to request access to the following records</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Any record created since March 2022 which proposed or recommended the discontinuation of Covid19 safety measures such as masking or the use of social distancing.</li> <li>• Any record created since March 2022 which records a decision to discontinue Covid19 safety measures.</li> <li>• Any record created since March 2022 instructing staff to discontinue Covid19 safety measures.</li> </ul>	05/12/2023	Access Refused Section: 15
	07/11/2023	Member of the Public	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Acts, I wish to request access to the following records -</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• a copy of the current (November 2023) template document used for submissions to the department's /</li> </ul>	05/12/2023	Access Granted

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FOI-0242-2023			<p>body's management board / committee, or to any other internal governance body and</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a copy of any instruction or guidance issued since February 2020 to modify submissions to the management board / committee (specifically seeking inclusion or omission of consideration of issues related to Covid19 in submissions - I do not need access to any other changes e.g., for financial controls, or governance changes, or HR issues).</li> </ul> <p>I am not seeking any submissions to the management body - I am looking for (i) the template document from which submissions are created, and (ii) instructions to modify that template or submissions for Covid-related issues.</p>		
	09/11/2023	Journalist	<p>I wish to receive copies of the following records under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 to cover:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Minutes of quarterly liaison meetings held between officials of the Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment and the Corporate Enforcement Authority since 1 January 2023;</li> <li>Copies of any briefing papers, reports, analyses or assessments shared between CEA and DETE related to items on the meeting agenda, created by, or shared with, the Department in advance of the meetings or following the meetings since 1 January 2023;</li> <li>Copy of the presentation from the CEO of the CEA to the Secretary-General and Management Board of the</li> </ul>	07/12/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 30

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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0246-2023			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment on 16th October 2023.</li> </ul>		
	09/11/2023	Journalist	<p>I would like to make a Freedom of Information request, under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, for the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Any minutes relating to a meeting between Minister Simon Coveney and Amazon on 17 April 2023</li> <li>Any correspondences between Minister Coveney's office and Amazon in relation to the meeting</li> <li>Any briefing notes prepared by the Department in relation to the meeting</li> <li>Any other documents exchanged between the parties in relation to the meeting</li> </ul>	12/12/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 35, 36 and 37
FOI-0248-2023	09/11/2023	Journalist	<p>I would like to make a Freedom of Information request, under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, for the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Any minutes relating to a meeting between Minister Simon Coveney and Technology Ireland on 2 May 2023</li> <li>Any correspondences between Minister Coveney's office and Technology Ireland in relation to the meeting</li> <li>Any briefing notes prepared by the Department in relation to the meeting</li> <li>Any other documents exchanged between the parties in relation to the meeting</li> </ul>	06/12/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37

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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0254-2023	13/11/2023	Member of the Public	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I am seeking the release of all records relating to the meeting held between the Minister for Enterprise, Simon Coveney TD, and TPA Research, as listed <a href="#">TPA Research (1 May, 2023 to 31 Aug, 2023 , Public policy or programme - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a></p> <p>This should include, but is not limited to, records of any meeting minutes, meeting notes, a list of attendees, briefing material, associated reports, presentations and correspondence shared and/or referenced at the meeting.</p> <p>I also request any letters, emails, text messages, WhatsApp messages, memos, notes, reports, draft reports and any other relevant records that were created, sent or received before, during or after the meeting.</p>	07/12/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37
FOI-0255-2023	17/11/2023	Member of the Public	Please provide information on companies which hold current licences to export dual-use items to Israeli end users.	15/12/2023	Access Refused Sections: 35 and 36
FOI-0257-2023	17/11/2023	Journalist	<p>I wish to make an application under the Freedom of Information Act.</p> <p>The application is for all records concerning the presentation made on October 16 to the Secretary General of your department by the ceo of the Corporate Enforcement Authority (as detailed in this Dail question <a href="#">Departmental Meetings – Thursday, 26 Oct 2023 – Parliamentary Questions (33rd Dáil) – Houses of the Oireachtas</a></p>	12/12/2023	Access Granted
FOI-0258-2023	28/11/2023	Member of the Public	Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I am seeking the release of the report produced by Gavin and Doherty Geosolutions as listed in the attached screenshot.	27/12/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 35 and 37

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			<p>Please also provide copies of invoices paid to Gavin and Doherty Geosolutions as part of this report.</p> <p>In addition, please provide any correspondence, both internal and external, related to the above report, as well as any letters, emails, text messages, WhatsApp messages, memos, notes, reports, draft reports and any other relevant records that were created, sent or received by the Department of Enterprise.</p> <p>This request can be refined to only include records between 10/10/2022 and 29/03/2023 and only include substantive correspondence about the report, i.e. relating to the content of the report.</p>		
FOI-0262-2023	21/11/2023	Journalist	<p>In accordance with Section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act, I request access to records which are:</p> <p>Any correspondence or records relating to tech company Wix, particularly in relation to an employee who lost her job due to social media posts.</p>	18/12/2023	Access Part-Granted Sections: 15 and 37
FOI-0263-2023	22/11/2023	Journalist	<p>Please find below a request under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 for the following esubmissions given to the Minister (for reference, I am drawing these from a list released under FOI-218-2023 attached to this email.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1. National Industrial Strategy on Offshore Wind – Update</p>	19/12/2023	Access Granted
FOI-0264-2023	22/11/2023	Journalist	<p>Please find below a request under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 for the following esubmissions given to the Minister (for</p>	19/12/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 31

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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0266-2023			reference, I am drawing these from a list released under FOI-218-2023 attached to this email.  2. Letter to Minister for Finance regarding proposed order under Public Service Management Act 1997		
	22/11/2023	Journalist	Please find below a request under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 for the following esubmissions given to the Minister (for reference, I am drawing these from a list released under FOI-218-2023 attached to this email.  4 State Aid: Joint Statement by Ministers from Belgium, Estonia, Denmark, Finland, and the Netherlands on the possible prolongation of the State Aid Temporary Crisis Framework	12/12/2023	Access Granted
	22/11/2023	Journalist	Please find below a request under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 for:  1. Internal records/correspondence related to the purchase of Devenish Farm, as described in this article: <a href="#">The justice minister Helen McEntee, her uncle Tony McEntee and the €11m sale of Georgian country estate to the State   Independent.ie</a>  2. Correspondence with other state bodies/govt departments regarding same	13/12/2023	Access Refused Section: 15

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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0269-2023			3. Correspondence with external parties, including but not limited to Tony McEntee, regarding the purchase		
	23/11/2023	Member of the Public	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I am seeking the release of all records relating to the meeting held between the Minister for Enterprise, Simon Coveney TD, and Devenish, as listed <a href="#">Devenish (1 Jan, 2023 to 30 Apr, 2023 , Matters involving public funds - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a></p> <p>This should include, but is not limited to, records of any meeting minutes, meeting notes, a list of attendees, briefing material, associated reports, presentations and correspondence shared and/or referenced at the meeting.</p> <p>I also request any letters, emails, text messages, WhatsApp messages, memos, notes, reports, draft reports and any other relevant records that were created, sent or received before, during or after the meeting.</p>	13/12/2023	Access Refused Section: 15
FOI-0270-2023	27/11/2023	Journalist	<p>I wish to make an application under the Freedom of Information Act.</p> <p>The application is for any correspondence since January 1 between the department and OpenAI on the subject of ChatGPT or AI more generally</p>	22/12/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37
FOI-0273-2023	27/11/2023	Journalist	I am making the following request under the Freedom of Information Act:	13/12/2023	Access Refused Section: 15



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FOI-0274-2023			<p>I would like copies of all correspondence between Minister Coveney's office (the minister, his political advisers and private secretary) and named individuals of the company Devenish since March.</p> <p>Please include copies of all emails, letters, text messages, whatsapps and logs of phone calls.</p>		
	27/11/2023	Journalist	<p>I am making the following request under the Freedom of Information Act:</p> <p>I would like copies of all correspondence between Minister Coveney's office (the minister, his political advisers and private secretary) and Agriculture Minister Charlie McConalogue's office (the minister, his political advisers and private secretary) regarding the sale of the Dowth Hall estate by the company Devenish since March.</p> <p>Please include copies of all emails, letters, text messages, whatsapps and logs of phone calls.</p>	13/12/2023	Access Refused Section: 15
FOI-0275-2023	05/12/2023	Member of the Public	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, please can you return to me;</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. A full copy of your Fixed Asset Register for each of the last three years. It should include lists of additions and disposals for each year. The copy should be made on a spreadsheet, if available.</li> </ol>	29/12/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 32
FOI-0283-2023	11/12/2023	Journalist	<p>I wish to receive copies of the following records under the FOI Act for the following records related to this <a href="#">Elkstone Private Advisors</a></p>	22/12/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37

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			<p><a href="#">Ltd trading as Elkstone Private (1 Sep, 2023 to 31 Dec, 2023 , Legislation - Lobbying.ie   Lobbying.ie</a> from Elkstone Private Advisors Ltd to cover the period 1 Sep, 2023 - present:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Copy of the email/letter provided by Elkstone</li> <li>• Any internal follow-up email communication between Ministerial and/or departmental staff about the issues raised in the email/letter from Elkstone</li> <li>• Any follow-up email communication and/or meeting minutes between Ministerial and/or departmental staff and Elkstone about the issues raised in the email/letter</li> </ul>		
FOI-0272-2023	27/11/2023	Member of the Oireachtas/Public Representative	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act I request the following information:</p> <p>All correspondence (letters, emails, memos, briefing notes, draft briefing notes, call logs, WhatsApp messages, text messages. etc...) received by the Department, circulated within the Department and to other Government Departments, and issued by the Department to external organisations in relation to anti-social in Dublin City between 1st March 2023 and 27 November 2023.</p>	09/01/2024	Access Part-Granted Sections: 15, 29, 32 and 37
FOI-0276-2023	28/11/2023	Journalist	<p>In accordance with the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I wish to request access to the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Copies of any correspondence between the Minister for Enterprise, Trade and Employment Simon Coveney and the Georgian Ambassador to Ireland regarding requests between January and October 2023 from the ambassador</li> </ol>	28/12/2023	Access Part-Granted Section: 37

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3 Reference Number	Date Received	Requester	Request Details	Decision Date	Decision
FOI-0277-2023			<p>for more work permits to be established for Georgian nationals seeking to come to Ireland.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2. Copies of any correspondence between your department's secretary general and the Georgian Ambassador to Ireland regarding requests between January and October 2023 from the ambassador for more work permits to be established for Georgian nationals seeking to come to Ireland.</li> <li>3. Copies of any internal memos or minutes of meetings between Minister for Enterprise, Trade and Employment Simon Coveney and DETE's secretary general between Jan-Oct 2023 regarding the potential expansion of a visa programme for Georgian nationals to come to Ireland.</li> </ol>		
	12/12/2023	Journalist	<p>In accordance with the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I wish to request access to the following:</p> <p>Copies of any records/in connection with two Department of Enterprises hosted retail forums which took place in May and June of 2023</p>	18/01/2024	Access Part-Granted Sections: 35, 36 and 37
FOI-0279-2023	01/12/2023	Journalist	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 I am seeking a list of e-submissions submitted to the Minister for Enterprise through the e-submissions channel.</p> <p>I wish for my request to cover the period from 01-11-2023 - 30-11-2023.</p>	03/01/2024	Access Granted

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FOI-0281-2023	05/12/2023	Member of the Public	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, please can you return to me;</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">2. A full copy of your most up to date Risk Register.</p>	04/01/2024	Access Part-Granted Sections: 29, 30, 33 and 35
FOI-0285-2023	21/12/2023	Business/Interest Group	<p>Request the following records:</p> <p>To Whom it may concerns.</p> <p>“Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I am seeking copies of all submissions made to the Public consultation on the review of the occupations lists and critical skills list for employment permits in 2023</p>	22/01/2024	Access Part-Granted Sections: 36 and 37