

Defence Forces Freedom of Information Disclosure Log – Q4

October - December 2019

(Non Personal Information Only)

Serial	Date of request	Our Ref	Summary of Request	Applicant Details	Decision Due Date	Decision Made
71	02 Oct 19	4641	<p>For a copy of the following information, as held by the Defence Forces.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Electronic copies of all records detailing spending by the Defence Forces at Trump International Golf Links, Doonbeg, Co Clare, between January 1, 2017 and the present. This request includes any contracts or invoices detailing the amounts agreed to be paid, any receipts showing the actual payments being made, and/or any budget documents showing the spending in total. 	Journalist	11 Oct 2019	Refused Sec 15 (1) (a)
72	09 Oct 19	4644	<p>For a copy of the following information, as held by the Defence Forces.</p> <p>Details of all available expenses incurred for the LÉ Samuel Beckett mission to New York and Boston in September/October 2019. The records should include details:</p> <p>The number of Defence Forces personnel that travelled;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Flights - if any were used - including whether they were economy/business class/first class and costs incurred by any flight cancellations; 	Journalist	05 Nov 19	Granted

			<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Accommodation costs; 2. Entertainment costs including catering; 3. Subsistence claims and overseas allowance payments; 4. Transport costs; 5. Spending on gifts for dignitaries. 6. Cost of venue hire for events in New York. 7. Cost of fuel for the trans-Atlantic voyage. 8. Cost of docking fees in New York and Boston 9. Copies of all receipts/invoices submitted in support of expenses claims/spending for the trips. Details of the estimated full cost to the Defence Forces for the trip. 			
73	11 Oct 19	4652	<p>For a copy of the following information, as held by the Defence Forces.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A copy of Vessel Monitoring Data for fishing activities across the Whittard Canyon from 05/06/2014 to 18/06/2015 and 10/08/2015 to 06/09/2015. 	Member of the Public	No payment received.	Search and Retrieval
74	11 Oct 19	4655	<p>For a copy of the following information, as held by the Defence Forces.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A copy of the 2013 Working Group Report on Malaria Chemoprophylaxis also known as ‘the lariam working group report/working group report or lariam’. • A copy of the 2017 Working Group Report on Malaria Chemoprophylaxis. • All versions of the above reports to include drafts and any updates made to the original report between 2013&2017. 	Oireachtas	18 Oct 2019	Transferred to Department of Defence

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The terms of reference for the Working Group during the commission of both the 2013 & 2017 reports. • The minutes of all the working group on malaria chemoprophylaxis, medical advisory group and implementation group meetings, recommendations, reports and findings. 			
75	14 Oct 19	4656	<p>For a copy of the following information, as held by the Defence Forces.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A log by year and breakdown by cause of all deaths of serving personnel within the DF from 01st of January 2019 to 10th of October 2019. • The number of deaths where personnel had taken Lariam or other prescribed anti-malarial drugs per year (specify drug in each case). 	Journalist	29 Oct 2019	Part Granted Sec 37 (1)
76	14 Oct 19	4658	<p>For a copy of following records held in respect of your service, as held by the Defence Forces.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In the context of Contract Notice Reference Number FMBO64F to establish Single Supplier Framework Contracts for the provision of General Building Supplies, Electrical Supplies Plumbing and Heating Supplies, Paint and painting Accessories, published on the eTenders website on the 28th December 2017, the date and place of publication of the related Prior Information Notice, under Regulation 38.(2) of the European Communities (Award of Public Authorities' Contracts) Regulations 2006 if any. 	Member of the Public	29 Oct 2019	Refused Sec 15 (1) (a)
77	14 Oct 19	4660	<p>For a copy of the following information, as held by the Defence Forces.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The number of Defence Forces personnel engaged in security duty for the visit. 	Oireachtas	08 Nov 2019	Granted

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The cost involved in duty payments to members on duty. • Transport costs for the movement of troops to locations visited by the President. • Depreciation of vehicles & equipment. • Hire of special equipment & properties for the duration of the visit. • Costs of food etc. for the duration of the visit. 			
78	29 Oct 18	4672	<p>For a copy of the following information , as held by the Defence Forces.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The number of Defence Forces personal that have been admitted to psychiatric hospitals or treated at mental health clinics after being prescribed Larium while deployed abroad, broken annually since 2000. 	Journalist	03 Dec 2019	Refused Sec 37 (1) (3)
79	30 Oct 19	4674	<p>For a copy of the following information, as held by the Defence Forces.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The number of complaints of workplace bullying of Defence Forces personnel received the Defence Forces in (i) 2016, (ii) 2017, (iii) 2018 and (iv) so far in 2019 - along with the number of these (in each year) that were sent forward for investigation, and the number of which resulted in disciplinary action, and information on the nature of the disciplinary action. I would also like a breakdown by gender of all of the above stats. • The number of complaints of workplace harassment of Defence Forces personnel received the Defence Forces in (i) 2016, (ii) 2017, (iii) 2018 and (iv) so far in 2019 - along with the number of these (in each year) that were 	Journalist	22 Nov 2019	Part Granted Sec 37 (1)

			<p>sent forward for investigation, and the number of which resulted in disciplinary action, and information on the nature of the disciplinary action. I would also like a breakdown by gender of all of the above stats.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The number of complaints of workplace sexual harassment of Defence Forces personnel received by the Defence Forces in (i) 2016, (ii) 2017, (iii) 2018 and (iv) so far in 2019 - along with the number of these (in each year) that were sent forward for investigation, and the number of which resulted in disciplinary action, and information on the nature of the disciplinary action. I would also like a breakdown by gender of all of the above stats. 			
80	30 Oct 19	4675	<p>For a copy the following information as held by the Defence Forces.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hardware spending is spending on military equipment. 	Journalist	30 Oct 2019	Transferred to Department of Defence
81	11 Nov 19	4682	<p>For a copy of the following information, as held by the Defence Forces.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The quantity of each type of military armoured vehicle that were purchased for the Defence Forces in the years 2016,2017,2018 and to date in 2019 in tabular form. 	Other	15 Nov 2019	Granted
82	11 Nov 19	4683	<p>For a copy of the following information, as held by the Defence Forces.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> For each year – 1984,1989,1994,1999,2004,2009,2014 and 2019: 	Other	06 Dec 2019	Part Granted

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Total number of DF of Ireland members by gender and service. • Total number of DF of Ireland fixed wing (aeroplane) pilots by gender and service. • Total number of DF of Ireland rotary wing (helicopter) pilots by gender and service. • The first month & year in which: • Females were eligible to apply for the DF of Ireland fixed wing (aeroplane) pilot training by service. • Females were eligible to apply for DF of Ireland rotary wing (helicopter) pilot training by service. • A female graduated as a DF of Ireland fixed wing (aeroplane) pilot by service. • A female graduated as a DF of Ireland rotary wing (helicopter) pilot by service 			
83	15 Nov 19	4684	<p>For a copy of the following information, as held by the Defence Forces.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All correspondence between the Defence Forces' Chief of Staff, and both the Department of Defence and the Department of the Taoiseach over the last five years. 	Journalist	No payment received.	Search and Retrieval
84	15 Nov 19	4689	<p>For a copy of the following information, as held by the Defence Forces.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Total amount spent by the Defence Forces at Mourne Shooting Grounds Ltd., Boraghy, Loughmourne, Castleblaney, Co Monaghan, for years ending; 	Other	28 Nov 2019	Granted

			<p>i. 31st Decemeber 2014.</p> <p>ii. 31st December 2015.</p> <p>iii. 31st December 2016.</p> <p>iv. 31st December 2017.</p> <p>v. 31st December 2018.</p> <p>vi. 2019 to date.</p>			
85	02 Dec 19	4705	<p>For a copy of the following information, as held by the Defence Forces.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The number of new recruits who joined the Defence Forces between January 1st 2019 to date (November 26th) broken down between categories (Army, Navy, Air Corps, Reserves) and by county • The number of new cadets who joined the Defence Forces between January 1st 2019 to date (November 26th) broken down between categories (Army, Navy, Air Corps, Reserves) and by county • The total number of women nationwide who joined the Defence Forces between January 1st 2019 to date (November 26th) broken down between categories (Army, Navy, Air Corps, Reserves) and by county 	Other	05 Dec 2019	Granted

86	06 Dec 19	4715	<p>For a copy of the following information, as held by the Defence Forces.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Copies of any inspection reports or other such reviews of standards of accommodation for recruits at the Curragh military camp. This request to cover the period 01-01-2018 to date of receipt of the request (06-12-2019). 	Journalist	Refused	15(1)(a)
87	11 Dec 19	4717	<p>For a copy of the following information, as held by the Defence Forces.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The full travel, security and advisory costs incurred by the Defence Forces in the operation to repatriate an Irish national and her child to Ireland since September 1 2019: A breakdown of the above costs, including: The numbers of trips made in connection with the operation The numbers travelling in each party The cost of flights, accommodation and meals The cost of advice or consultancy or reports of any kind relevant to the operation & commissioned by the Defence Forces 	Journalist	13 Jan 20	Refused 15(1)(a)
88	19 Dec 19	4722	<p>For a copy of the following information, as held by the Defence Forces.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The amount of prize money won from competitions Defence Forces horses participated in the years 2018 to date in 2019 in tabular form, of the prize money how was it distributed in the 	Other	23 Jan 20	Granted

			<p>years in question.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The number vets currently employed by Defence Forces in years of 2018 and to date in 2019, If the DF uses an external company for the supply of vets please provide the name of company that supplies the vets to DF and the amount that each company received in each of the years in question for the same.			
--	--	--	---	--	--	--