



AN TÚDARÁS PÓILÍNEACHTA
POLICING AUTHORITY

Freedom of Information Disclosures Log

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PA-GC-00175-2024	05-Aug-24	Member of the public	Request for copies of Policing Authority credit card and bank statements for December 2023, January 2024, and June 2024	30-Aug-24	Granted
PA-CC-00041-2023	17-Nov-23	Member of the public	Request for personal information in relation to appointment competition	15-Dec-23	Part granted
PA-CC-00038-2023	31-Oct-23	Member of the public	Request for personal information in relation to appointment competition	20-Nov-23	Part granted
PA-CC-00018-2023	02-Jun-23	Member of the public	Request for records held by the Policing Authority by a named individual in the case of promotion within AGS	28-Jun-23	Part granted
PA-GC-00118-2023	05-May-23	Member of the Public	Request for the Minister for Justice review of training of new members of the Garda Síochána document.	18-May-23	Refused under section 12(1)(b)

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PA-GC-00115-2023	03-May-23	Member of the Public	Request for all PA Climate Action Plans, the dates the plan came into effect and ended and the costs associated with making and implementing the plan.	19-May-23	Granted
PA/2022/140	12-May-22	Member of the Public	Request for "all documentation held in relation to the use of Garda vehicles in pursuit of other vehicles to include the minutes of meetings, research papers, investigations and conclusions".	01-Jul-22	Part-granted
PA/2022/134	09-May-22	Member of the Public	Request for two reports mentioned in the 2019 Public Order Policing Review of Practices.	05-Jul-22	Part-granted
PA/2022/24	28-Jan-22	Journalist	Request for copies of any correspondence between the Policing Authority and a named American aerospace and technology company between 1 November, 2021 and 28 January, 2022.	01-Mar-22	Refused under section 15(1)
PA/2021/456	31-Dec-21	Member of the Public	Request for all correspondence between the Policing Authority and the Senior Leadership Team of the Garda Síochána on the subject of public order policing in the Pearse Street district between 1 June, 2021 and 31 December, 2021.	01-Mar-22	Part-granted
PA/2021/414	01-Dec-21	Journalist	Request for any correspondence between the Minister for Justice, the Garda Commissioner or Deputy Commissioner and the Policing Authority regarding the cancellation of	17-Jan-22	Part-granted

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			999 calls by the Garda Síochána, between 1 September, 2021 and 30 November, 2021.		
PA/2021/413	29-Nov-21	Journalist	Request for all correspondence sent by members of the Policing Authority to the Chief Executive of the Policing Authority in relation to the position of a named Authority member from 1 November, 2021 to present.	23-Dec-21	Part-granted
PA/2021/382	01-Nov-21	Journalist	Request for all communications between the Policing Authority and the Garda Commissioner, from 1 May, 2021 to present, regarding the ongoing Garda review of cancelled 999 calls. Request for all internal correspondence between the Authority members and the Chairperson, from 1 May, 2021 to present, regarding the ongoing Garda review of cancelled 999 calls.	02-Dec-21	Part-granted
PA/2021/352	18-Oct-21	Member of the Public	Request for all correspondence between the Policing Authority and the Garda Commissioner regarding the cancellation of CAD 999 calls.	15-Nov-21	Part-granted
PA/2021/188	09-Jun-21	Journalist	Request for details of all payments made for legal services to a named Barrister for the period 1 November, 2013 to 8 June, 2021.	07-Jul-21	Refused under section 15(1)

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PA/2021/144	07-May-21	Journalist	Request for correspondence between the Policing Authority and the Department of Justice relating to the establishment of a new Policing and Community Safety Authority between January 1, 2021 and 7 May, 2021.	8-June-21	Part-granted
PA/2021/106	29-Mar-21	Member of the Public	Request for information on contracts of a value of €20,000 or greater awarded from 2018 to 2020 by the Policing Authority.	28-Apr-21	Granted
PA/2021/25	18-Jan-21	Journalist	Request for information relating to the Garda Síochána viewing and monitoring a social media platform.	09-Feb-21	Refused under section 15(1)(a)
PA/2020/400	30-Dec-20	Journalist	Request for minutes of meetings held in 2020.	01-Feb-21	Refused under section 15(1)(a) and 15(1)(d)
PA/2020/222	05-Aug-20	Member of the Public	Detailed clarification sought on the development and meaning of an excerpt of a letter from Garda HRM to Garda representative bodies outlining the terms agreed upon by the Department of Justice for the proposed integrated promotion competition for supervisors at appropriate Garda rank / Garda staff grade in ICT. Excerpt referred to the assessment condition under which the Policing Authority provided its support for the proposal.	08-Sep-20	Granted

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PA/2020/178	05-Jun-20	Journalist	Any representations received by the Policing Authority between 1 January 2018 and 30 May 2020 which alleges that the Garda Síochána is pursuing, or has pursued, a prosecution against an employee of the Garda Síochána in an improper manner.	09-Jul-20	Refused under section 30(1)
PA/2020/78	02-Mar-20	Journalist	A copy of the statistical review of the National Juvenile Liaison Office of the Garda Síochána examining juvenile offender's investigations not being brought to a conclusion.	27-Mar-20	Refused under section 35(1)
PA/2020/70	24-Feb-20	Member of the Public	Information concerning the competitions for Chief Superintendent in 2018 and 2019.	08-Apr-20	Part-granted
PA/2020/22	14-Jan-20	Journalist	Request for minutes of meetings held in 2019.	07-Feb-20	Refused under section 15
PA/2019/279	19-Aug-19	Other	Number of successful final reviews relating to Garda competitions for the years 2017-2019. Number of years of service and years at the rank of Inspector of all successful candidates in the Policing Authority Superintendent competition 2019. Outline of available options to the External Reviewer on conclusion of the Final Review, where the review is deemed successful.	16-Sept-19	Part-granted

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PA/2019/218	18-Jun-19	Member of the Public	Information as to which members of the Garda Síochána senior management team (both civilian and sworn members, from rank of Assistant Commissioner/Executive Director up), have not yet signed the Code of Ethics.	16-Jul-19	Granted
PA/2019/100	07-Mar-19	Member of the Public	Name of the act(s) that set up the Policing Authority, as well as the names of subsequent relevant statutory instruments their numbers and years when introduced.	12-Mar-19	Withdrawn and answered outside FOI
PA/2018/380	01-Oct-18	Journalist	Correspondence between the OPW and the Policing Authority surrounding the residence for the Garda Commissioner from 1 January 2018 to September 2018 and receipts relating to works carried out on this residence.	30-Oct-18	Refused under section 15(1)(a)
PA/2018/252	19-Jun-18	Public	In relation to the mandatory disclosure directive under section 11 of the Mental Health Act 2001, does section 11 apply to every instance of involuntary admission for all Gardaí and attending GPs? What is the precise nature of the legal sanction incurred for failure to comply with this directive and has this legal sanction ever been applied?	16-Jul-18	Refused under section 15(1)(a)
PA/2018/229	05-Jun-18	Journalist	Details of all expenses and fees claimed by members of the Policing Authority from 1 January 2016 until 31 May 2018, including the name and position of the member, the	02-Jul-18	Granted

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			breakdown of expenses, credit card payments, and the overall amount of expenses per annum.		
PA/2018/226	31-May-18	Oireachtas, Public Representative	All correspondence, documents and recommendations held by the Policing Authority in relation to guidelines in relation to CCTV schemes from January 2017 to present.	29-Jun-18	Part-Granted
PA/2018/80	21-Feb-18	Other	All correspondence, documents, recommendations, and minutes of meetings held by the Policing Authority relating to the implementation of liquor licensing laws and monitoring of special exemption orders, from January 2010 to present.	20-Mar-18	Granted
PA/2018/71	15-Feb-18	Public	All drug cases and outcomes in South Donegal area relating to the time period January 2010 to January 2018.	20-Feb-18	Refused under section 15(1)(a)
PA/2018/60	07-Feb-18	Journalist	Any records, including but not limited to memos, reports, and communications regarding "misclassification" of data on the Garda PULSE system between 2010 and 2018.	07-Mar-18	Part-Granted
PA/2018/59	30-Jan-18	Other	A copy of the report supplied by the CAO of the Garda Síochána to the Policing Authority in relation to the use by the former Garda Commissioner Nóirín O'Sullivan of her personal Gmail account when conducting official Garda business.	27-Feb-18	Part-Granted

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PA/2018/47	26-Jan-18	Journalist	All documents and correspondence relating to homicide figures between 2015 and 2018.	23-Feb-18	Part-Granted
PA/2018/25	18-Jan-18	Journalist	Details of the full amount claimed in expenses by each member of the Policing Authority including copies of any vouching documents used in claiming these expenses.	13-Feb-18	Granted
PA/2018/9	10-Jan-18	Journalist	A copy of the report on the use of a private Gmail address by the former Garda Commissioner Noirín O'Sullivan.	07-Feb-18	Part-Granted
PA/2017/660	09-Dec-17	Journalist	Correspondence between the Authority and the Garda Síochána relating to the preparation of a report on the use of a private Gmail address by the former Garda Commissioner Nóirín O'Sullivan.	10-Jan-18	Part-Granted
PA/2017/548	06-Oct-17	Journalist	All representations made to the Policing Authority in relation to amending the ranks order within the Garda Síochána and all replies in relation to same.	03-Nov-2017	Refused under section 15(1)(a)
PA/2017/497	15-Sep-17	Member of the Public	All records relating to use of CCTV by the Garda Síochána whether under section 38 of the Garda Síochána Act 2005 or otherwise.	18-Oct-17	Granted
PA/2017/392	25-Jul-17	Journalist	Information in relation to the Crowe Horwath review of matters related to MAT/FCN carried out on behalf of the Policing Authority including information in relation to the	23-Aug-17	Part-Granted

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			tendering process and dates of the contract commencement and conclusion.		
PA/2017/386	17-Jul-17	Member of the Public	Information and figures regarding amount spent on flights and accommodation for work-related business by Policing Authority staff in 2016 and to the date of the request.	03-Aug-17	Granted
PA/2017/284	05-May-17	Member of the Public	Correspondence between the Authority and the Garda Síochána relating to the discussion mentioned in the recent progress report regarding redeployment.	31-May-17	Part-Granted
PA/2017/153	24-Mar-17	Journalist	All correspondence, both internal and external including with the Garda Síochána, regarding the timing of the release of the Policing Authority statement with the subject line: "issues discovered with administration of fixed charge notices (FCN) and road side breath tests".	20-Apr-17	Granted
PA/2016/432	10-Oct-16	Journalist	Correspondence to/from the Policing Authority in relation to the review of Garda deployment/resources and the reopening of six Garda stations.	17-Oct-16	Refused under section 15(1)(a)
PA/2016/406	30-Sep-16	Journalist	Correspondence, emails, notes etc between the Authority and the Garda Síochána, and the Department and Minister for Justice dated from 1 January 2016 to 30 September 2016 relating to senior Garda appointments made in 2016.	28-Oct-16	Part-Granted

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PA/2016/441	01-Sep-16	Member of the Public	Documents, projects, reports, memos etc in relation to the use/potential use of Unmanned Aerial Vehicles (UAVs) (also known as drones) by the Garda Síochána.	17-Oct-16	Refused under section 15(1)(a)