

# An Garda Síochána

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## Re: Freedom of Information Request FOI-000209-2020 Request Part-Granted

*Dear*

I refer to your request, dated and received on 18<sup>th</sup> June, 2020 which you have made under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 (FOI Act) for records held by An Garda Síochána.

Part 1(n) of Schedule 1 of the FOI Act states that An Garda Síochána is listed as a partially included agency "insofar as it relates to administrative records relating to human resources, or finance or procurement matters". Therefore, only administrative records that relate to human resources, finance or procurement shall be considered.

Your request sought:

*Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I am seeking the following:*

*A list of all payments made to An Garda Síochána (including organisation/event, place of duty, date of duty and amount paid) from 2015 to date (17/06/2020) for non-public duty services carried out for the National Transport Authority, Transport Infrastructure Ireland, Railway Procurement Agency, local authorities or for the Luas Cross City project.*

I wish to inform you that I have decided to part-grant your request on the 29<sup>th</sup> June, 2020.

The purpose of this letter is to explain my decision.

### 1. Findings, particulars and reasons for decision

On receipt your request was forwarded to the Finance Section of An Garda Síochána who have provided this office with that attached tables. The tables attached provide details of the requested information for the years 2015, 2016 and 2020 (to date).

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I am refusing your request in respect of the years 2017, 2018 and 2019, in accordance with Section 15(1)(d) of the FOI Act (2014) which states:

***Refusal on administrative grounds to grant FOI requests***

*15(1) A head to whom an FOI request is made may refuse to grant the request where (d) the information is already in the public domain*

Information in respect of Non Public Duty payments to An Garda Síochána for the years 2017, 2018 and 2019 was the subject of a previous FOI request, FOI-0000115-2020, which has already been published on the Garda website. This information can be accessed at:

<https://www.garda.ie/en/information-centre/freedom-of-information/decision-log/finance-%E2%80%93-general/finance-general-decision-logs-2020.html>

## **2. Right of Appeal**

In the event that you are not happy with this decision you may seek an Internal Review of the matter by writing to the address below and quoting reference number **FOI-000209-2020**.

***Freedom of Information Office, An Garda Síochána, Athlumney House, IDA Business Park, Johnstown, Navan, Co. Meath C15 ND62***

Please note that a fee applies. This fee has been set at €30 (€10 for a Medical Card holder). Payment should be made by way of bank draft, money order, postal order or personal cheque, and made payable to Accountant, Garda Finance Directorate, Garda Headquarters, Phoenix Park, Dublin 8.

Payment can be made by electronic means, using the following details:

**Account Name:** Garda Síochána Finance Section Public Bank Account  
**Account Number:** 10026896  
**Sort Code:** 900017  
**IBAN:** IE86BOFI90001710026896  
**BIC:** BOFIIIE2D

**You must ensure that your FOI reference number (FOI-000209-2020) is included in the payment details.**

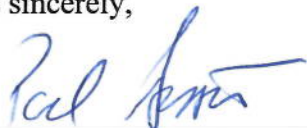
You should submit your request for an Internal Review within 4 weeks from the date of this notification. The review will involve a complete reconsideration of the matter by a more senior member of An Garda Síochána and the decision will be communicated to you within 3 weeks. The making of a late appeal may be permitted in appropriate circumstances.

Please be advised that An Garda Síochána replies under Freedom of Information may be released in to the public domain via our website at [www.garda.ie](http://www.garda.ie).

Personal details in respect of your request have, where applicable, been removed to protect confidentiality.

Should you have any questions or concerns regarding the above, please contact me by telephone at (046) 9036350.

Yours sincerely,



ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL

**PAUL BASSETT**

**FREEDOM OF INFORMATION OFFICER**

29<sup>th</sup> JUNE 2020.

2015 Records

<b>File</b>	<b>Hiring Body</b>	<b>Place of duty</b>	<b>Date Of Duty</b>	<b>Amount Paid</b>
NPD80/15	RPA	Luas Works	10 to 01/2015	75,520.00
NPD83/15	Dun Laoghaire County Council	Blackrock	18/02/2015	1,486.10
NPD186/15	Dun Laoghaire County Council	Blackrock	21/04/2015	1,950.56
NPD210/15	Fingal County Council	Dublin 15	02/04/2015	1,540.00
NPD318/15	Dun Laoghaire County Council	Blackrock	09/06/2015	1,584.36
NPD362/15	Cork City Council	Cork	01/06/2015	88,766.36
NPD405/15	Fingal County Council	Coolock	27 & 28/06/2015	10,712.34
NPD445/15	Fingal County Council	Millenium Park	05/07/2015	600.00
NPD454/15	Dun Laoghaire County Council	Blackrock	23/07/2015	1,408.32
NPD516/15	Dublin City Council	Dublin 12	01/08/2015	4,560.00
NPD545/15	National Transport Authority	Luas Works	12/01/2015	74,400.00
NPD545B/15	Transport Infrastructure Ireland	Luas Works	31/12/2015	374,737.60
NPD545C/15	Transport Infrastructure Ireland	Luas Works	31/12/2015	28,160.00
NPD560/15	Monaghan County Council	Monaghan	22/09/2015	1,920.00
NPD576/15	Fingal County Council	Millenium Park	30/08/2015	500.00
NPD596/15	Galway County Council	Ballinasloe	04 to 10/10/2015	16,960.04
NPD662/15	Dublin City Council	Ballyfermot	31/10/2015	6,000.00
NPD721/15	Dublin City Council	Dublin 12	09/09/2015	2,070.00
NPD703/15	Fingal County Council	Swords	30/10/15 to 01/11/2015	4,486.36
NPD726/15	Dunlaoghaire County Council	Blackrock	26/11/2015	1,546.70

2016 Records

<b>File</b>	<b>Hiring Body</b>	<b>Place of duty</b>	<b>Date Of Duty</b>	<b>Amount Paid</b>
NPD029/16	Cork City Council	Blackpool	13/01/2016	821.52
NPD040/16	Cork City Council	Apple Computers	01/01/2016	83,669.88
NPD040A/16	Cork City Council	Apple Computers	01/05/2016	175,389.07
NPD046/16	Ground Investigations	Luas Crossing	16&17/01/2016	1,920.00
NPD115/16	Transport Infrastructure Ireland	Luas Works	01/01/2016	42,760.00
NPD115B/16	Transport Infrastructure Ireland	Luas Works	01/01/2016	63,600.00
NPD115C/16	Transport Infrastructure Ireland	Luas Works	01/01/2016	86,520.00
NPD115D/16	Transport Infrastructure Ireland	Luas Works	01/01/2016	38,560.00
NPD115E/16	Transport Infrastructure Ireland	Luas Works	01/01/2016	13,360.00
NPD115F/16	Transport Infrastructure Ireland	Luas Works	01/01/2016	26,000.00
NPD115G/16	Transport Infrastructure Ireland	Luas Works	01/01/2016	22,320.00
NPD168/16	Dublin City Council	Coolock	31/03/2016	1,408.32
NPD180/16	Dunlaoghaire County Council	Blackrock	30/03/2016	1,333.42
NPD265D/16	Dunlaoghaire County Council	Marley Park	08,09,15,16,17/07/2016	50,000.00
NPD290/16	Dublin City Council	Dublin 5	01/06/2016	4,120.00
NPD290B/16	Dublin City Council	Dublin 5	01/06/2016	1,120.00
NPD305/16	Fingal County Council	Baldoye	15/05/2016	1,906.68
NPD484/16	Fingal County Council	Swords Flavours of Fingal	25 & 26/06/2016	2,040.00
NPD498/16	Fingal County Council	Malahide	02/07/2016	1,500.00
NPD514/16	Dublin City Council	Blanchardstown	02,10,14/07/2016	960.00
NPD516/16	Fingal County Council	Malahide	22,23,24/07/2016	4,800.00
NPD537/16	Dublin City Council	Clondalkin	16/08/2016	1,200.00
NPD537B/16	Dublin City Council	Clondalkin	01/09/2016	800.00
NPD538/16	Dublin City Council	Clondalkin Halloween	31/10/2016	5,360.00
NPD546/16	Dublin City Council	Dublin 6W	06 to 12/2016	1,360.00
NPD597/16	Dublin City Council	Blanchardstown	18,24/07 & 14/08/2016	1,240.00
NPD621/16	Fingal County Council	Millenium Park	28/08/2016	1,040.00
NPD636/16	Dun Laoghaire County Council	Dun Laoghaire	01/08/2016	2,000.00
NPD658/16	South Dublin County Council	Tallaght	11/06/2016	4,080.00
NPD659/16	South Dublin County Council	Tallaght	02/08/2016	3,560.00
NPD683/16	Dublin City Council	Blanchardstown	03 & 04/09/2016	960.00
NPD800/16	Dublin City Council	Blanchardstown	16/10/2016	480.00

2020 Records

<b>File</b>	<b>Hiring Body</b>	<b>Place of duty</b>	<b>Date Of Duty</b>	<b>Amount Paid</b>
NPD724/19	Fingal County Council	Outdoor Cinema	27/07/2019	1,410.00
NPD853/19	Sligo County Council	Sligo	28/11/2019	4,312.45
NPD856/19	Sligo County Council	Sligo	27/11/2019	2,155.00
NPD028/20	Dun Laoghaire Co Co	Marlay Park	05,06,07/07/2019	30,000.00