

Freedom of Information Disclosure Log 2017

Summary of Non-Personal Requests submitted to the National Library of Ireland under the Freedom of Information Acts					
Reference Number	Date of Receipt of Request	Category of Applicant	Summary of the Information/Records Requested	Date of Decision	Summary of Decision
FOI/139/2017	17 Jan 2017	Journalist	<i>"The application is for all records held by the National library concerning the Padraig Pearse surrender letter auctioned by Adam's in both 2005 and 2016. The application is to cover both years, please".</i>	14 th February 2017. Extended to 23 March 2017	Part Granted
FOI/140/2017	9 Feb 2017	Journalist	<i>"Under the Freedom of Information Act, A list of external legal practitioners (solicitors/law firms and barristers) paid in 2015 for services carried out on behalf of the National Library of Ireland, including the name of the practitioner, the sum paid and, where possible, a general description of the work carried out. A list of external legal practitioners (solicitors/law firms and barristers) paid in 2016 for services carried out on behalf of the National Library of Ireland, including the name of the practitioner, the sum paid and, where possible, a general description of the work carried out".</i>	9 th March 2017	Granted
FOI/141/2017	16 Feb 2017	Journalist	<i>"Under the Freedom of Information Act, request copies of all records relating to the acquisition from the family of WB Yeats of a collection of manuscripts, as announced February 16th, 2016".</i>	16 th March 2017 Extended	Outstanding
FOI/142/2017	16 Feb 2017	Journalist	<i>I wish to request, under the Freedom of Information Act, access to all board minutes created since the start of 2016.</i>	16 th March 2017	Part Granted

FOI/143/2017	21 Feb 2017	Individual	<p>“Freedom of Information request. The amount of people banned from libraries in Ireland during the last year, and/or since 2010 - as well as the reasons to why”.</p>	22 March 2017	Decision Refused under Section 15(1)(a)
FOI 144/2017	16 April 2017	Individual	<p>“...copies of all records/ documents/notes and/or all computer records which pertain to the purchase by the National Library of a number of Joyce manuscripts in June 2005....</p> <p>..... copies of all records to include those records before any decision was made to actually purchase the manuscripts and all records to include those records from the moment when the National Library, (and/or the Department of Arts Heritage and Tourism and/or Arts, Sports and Tourism or any other name under which the National Library then operated or was known by), became aware of the existence of the same and/or other/similar Joyce manuscripts....”</p>	16 May 2017	Part Granted