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Re: Freedom of Information Request FOI-000409-2019 Request Granted

Dear

I refer to your request, dated and received on 21st October, 2019 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:

- *A record of all payments made to Road Safety Operations Ireland, trading as GoSafe, in 2018.*
- *Details of these payments – i.e flat rate regular payments, one-off payments.*

I wish to inform you that I have decided to **grant** your request on the 24th October, 2019.

The purpose of this letter is to explain that decision.

1. Findings, particulars and reasons for decision.

Details of your request were forwarded to Finance Section of An Garda Síochána who conducted a search of their records and have identified the following information. This office has been advised that the invoices for GoSafe outlined in the table below are for contracted

work paid at an agreed contract flat rate for monitoring and surveying work along with resulting court attendances.

Road Safety Operations Ireland t/a GoSafe 2018

Invoice Date	Amount	Month Cost Incurred
04/01/2018	1,201,585.56	December 2017
06/02/2018	1,275,453.42	January 2018
06/03/2018	1,149,052.06	February 2018
04/04/2018	1,242,817.01	March 2018
03/05/2018	1,241,187.26	April 2018
06/06/2018	1,225,590.04	May 2018
04/07/2018	1,225,232.93	June 2018
03/08/2018	1,223,742.17	July 2018
06/09/2018	1,264,968.90	August 2018
05/10/2018	1,216,448.48	September 2018
05/11/2018	1,182,828.89	October 2018
06/12/2018	1,258,102.22	November 2018

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-000409-2019**.

Freedom of Information Office, An Garda Síochána, Athlumney House, IDA Business Park, Johnstown, Navan, Co. Meath, C15 DR90

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: BOFIE2D

You must ensure that your FOI reference number (FOI-000409-2019) 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

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,

Maria Brodigan ACTING ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL
MARIA BRODIGAN
FREEDOM OF INFORMATION OFFICER

24th OCTOBER, 2019.