

# An Garda Síochána

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## Re: Freedom of Information Request FOI-000383-2023 Request Granted

*Dear*

I refer to your request, dated and received on 8<sup>th</sup> November, 2023 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:

*I wish to make a request to An Garda Síochána under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act 2014.*

*I am seeking details relating to the ten most expensive events which were policed, under non-public duty, by members An Garda Síochána within the Limerick division between the following dates:*

*During the 2022 calendar year  
January 1, 2023 to June 30, 2023*

*I am seeking details of the organiser/host of each event including the amount of monies recouped by An Garda Síochána for policing services at the ten events.*

I wish to inform you that I have decided to grant your request on the 4<sup>th</sup> December 2023.

The purpose of this letter is to explain that decision.

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

Upon receipt, your request was forwarded to the relevant section of An Garda Síochána to retrieve the information requested by you and a number of records have been identified.

In relation to the records sought for 2022 please see the following table.

2022		
Company	Date of Duty	Amount
Focus Events Limited	01/05/2022	24,060.00
Munster GAA	08/05/2022	12,373.00
Limerick City & County Council	17/07/2022	8,830.00
Munster GAA	23/04/2022	8,205.00
Limerick Races	07/04/2022	4,523.00
Munster Rugby	11/12/2022	4,162.50
Munster Rugby	26/12/2022	3,600.00
Munster Rugby	29/10/2022	3,397.50
Munster Rugby	15/10/2022	2,970.00
Munster Rugby	26/11/2022	2,970.00

The table below provides the records for the number of non-public events that monies have been recouped for the Limerick division from 1 January 2023 to 30 June 2023.

2023		
Munster Rugby	14/01/2023	4,556.25
Munster Rugby	17/02/2023	3,600.00
Munster Rugby	25/03/2023	3,667.50

### 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-000383-2023**.

**Freedom of Information Office, An Garda Síochána, Athlumney House, IDA Business Park, 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:** An Garda Síochána Imprest Account

**Account Number:** 30000302

**Sort Code:** 951599

**IBAN:** IE28DABA95159930000302

**BIC:** DABAIE2D

**You must ensure that your FOI reference number FOI-000383-2023 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 the FOI Office by telephone at (046) 9036350.

Yours sincerely,



**ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL**

**PAUL BASSETT**

**FREEDOM OF INFORMATION OFFICER**

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**DECEMBER, 2023.**