# An Garda Síochána

Oifig Saorála Fáisnéise, An Garda Síochána, Teach áth Luimnigh, Lárionad Gnó Udáras Forbartha Tionscail, Baile Sheáin , An Uaimh, Contae na Mí. C15 ND62



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

Teileafón/Tel: (046) 9036350

Bí linn/Join us



Láithreán Gréasain/Website: www.garda.ie

Ríomh-phoist:/Email: foi@garda.ie

# Re: Freedom of Information Request FOI-000431-2023 Request Part-Granted

#### Dear

I refer to your request, dated and received on 11<sup>th</sup> December, 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 am seeking something for Garda that in other organizations is sometimes called a "roster of forms." This is basically a document that lists all the forms used by a policing organization, along with metadata that varies from one agency to another.

I wish to inform you that I have decided to <u>part-grant</u> your request on 10<sup>th</sup> January 2024. The purpose of this letter is to explain my decision.

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

Details of your request were provided to the relevant sections of An Garda Síochána where a search was carried out to identify the records sought in your request.

Part 1(n) of Schedule 1 of the FOI Act provides that An Garda Síochána is not a public body for the purposes of the FOI Act other than in relation to administrative records relating to human resources, or finance or procurement matters.

HR records refer to personal records of staff working within An Garda Síochána. They also relate to statistical information in respect of the organisation, e.g sick leave, discipline, retirements, etc. Financial records relate to the financial expenditure of the organisation and procurement records relate to the contracting of services and the tendering process associated with same.

Please see attached herewith a list of forms used by An Garda Síochána in respect of finance, procurement, and human resource matters. I am refusing the release of any other forms used by An Garda Síochána in accordance with Part 1(n) of Schedule 1 of the FOI Act as such forms fall outside the scope of the FOI Act insofar as it pertains to An Garda Síochána.

## 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-000431-2023.

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

Account Number: 30000302

**Sort Code:** 951599

**IBAN:** IE28DABA95159930000302

**BIC:** DABAIE2D

You must ensure that your FOI reference number (FOI-000431-2023) 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**.

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

18 JANUARY, 2024.

### **Finance & Procurement Forms**

A17 Claims for Gardaí Employed on other than Police Duty

A61 Route Sheet

A69 Particulars of Accounts received and Services rendered

A8 Expense Claim Form

A80 Witness Expenses

A85 Garda Record of Duty and Overtime Claim Form

A85 Interim Core Roster Claim Form

Accommodation Statement

Application to Use Private Vehicle – Method of Computing Travel Expenses

B.2 Receipt for Rent of Accommodation

Battery Order Form

Bunzl Catalogue 2023

**Bunzl Order Form Nov 2023** 

CD DVD and Mouse Mats Order Form 2014

Civilian Overtime Claim Form

**Courts Compensation Form** 

**Doctor Payments Scheme Form** 

Envelope Order Form 2014

FMS1 Payment Authorisation Form

FMS11 Authorising Officer Changes Notification

FMS2 Garda Travel and Subsistence Claim Form

FMS7 Form

Form A Application for Advance of Subsistence Allowance

FT3 Financial Sanction for Internal Air and All Foreign Travel

Garda T S Change EFT Bank Account Details

GR9 Garda Reserve Annual Allowance Claim Template

Interpreters Addendum to Custody Sheet

JM2 Application for Toner for Photocopier

Loss of Allowance – Injury on Duty Form 4.65

Loss of Allowance – Injury on Duty Form 4.65 Functional Area

Loss of allowances due to Course Attendance

MB10 Maternity Benefit Form

Member Deduction Statement

Notification to Internal Travel Bureau (ITB) - Amendment/Cancellation of State Witness

Accommodation

Notification to Internal Travel Bureau (ITB) - Request for State Witness Accommodation

Overtime Approval Form

Overtime Approval Form - Non Divisional

Paper Order Form 2015

PK1 Claiming Temporary Allowance Form

Printing Consumables Order Form 2012

R85 Record of Duty Performed Reserve Gardaí

Redundant Furniture Removal Request Form

Refund of Educational Course Fees Application Form

Report and Checklist for Completion - Permanent Transfers

Retrospective Certification of Vouched Expenses

SB1 Stopping and Starting Allowance

SD1 Application for Disposal and Replacement of Sharps Containers

SIVRE DVD R Order Form
SM15 Furniture Order Form
Stamp Order Form
Stationery Catalogue 2017
Stationery Order Form
TS1 Civilian Travel and Subsistence Claim Form
TS9 Form Add New or Amend Existing Employee Details

## **HRM Forms**

ADM3A Educational Qualifications Increment Application Form Degree Level

ADM3B Educational Qualifications Increment Application Form Leaving Certificate Level

Alternative Working Arrangement

Appendix B Bank Holiday Claims

Application Form Overseas Duty with UN-EU Garda

Application Form Overseas Duty with UN-EU Inspector

Application Form Overseas Duty with UN-EU Sergeant

ASC12 Application for Refund - Additional Superannuation Contributions

B33 Order of Appointment of Investigation Officer Under Regulation 8

B33A Garda Síochána Discipline Regulations 1989

B34 Garda Síochána Discipline Regulations 1989 - Sworn Inquiry - Witness Notification

B47 Application to Serve With The United Nations OSCE and EU on Overseas Duty

Bank Details Sworn Members

Carer's Leave Application Form

CIP Critical Illness Sick Leave Provisions

Confirmation of Public Sector Service

CP6 Spouses and Children's Pension Scheme

**CPSA Review Form** 

CR1 Counselling Record Student Probationer Garda

D11 Notification of Marriage

D15 Sick Report

D19 Application for Transfer to Another Division

D27 Duty Detail

D5 Record of Absence from Duty

D6 Personal Record Sheet

D9 Leave Application Form

Deputy Commissioner Application Form and Self-Assessment Guide 2013

Educational Qualification Recognition of a Foreign Qualification

**EPW Commendation Example Certificates** 

EPW1 Commendation for Excellent Police Work

EPW2 Commendation for Excellent Police Work Appeal

EPW3 Commendation for Excellent Police Work Report Sheet

ERB1 Dispute Resolution Form

Extra Attendance Claim Form

FM1 Force Majeure Leave

Garda Reserve Applicants Confidential Report

Garda Reserve Exit Interview Questionnaire Form

Garda Trainee Applicant Confidential Report Form 2014

**GR1** Garda Reserve

GR6 Garda Reserve Certification of Completion of Training

GR8 Garda Reserve Record of Hepatitis Vaccinations

IA Continuation Sheet

IA1 Informal Resolution of Minor Breaches Regulation 10 Garda Síochána (Discipline)

Regulations, 2007

IA11 Appointment of Deciding Officer Regulation 14 Garda Síochána (Discipline)

Regulations, 2007

IA12 Notice of Interview Regulation 15 Garda Síochána (Discipline) Regulations, 2007

IA13 Report of Interview Regulation 18 Garda Síochána (Discipline) Regulations, 2007

IA14 Report of Appointing Officer to Member Concerned Regulation 19 Garda Síochána (Discipline) Regulations, 2007

IA15 Application for Review of Decision of Deciding/Designated Officer Regulation 19/45 Garda Síochána (Discipline) Regulations, 2007

IA16 Result of Review Regulation 20(5) Garda Síochána (Discipline) Regulations, 2007

IA17 Decision of Deciding Officer to Revoke Regulation 16 Regulation 16(5) Garda Síochána (Discipline) Regulations, 2007

IA18 Substitution of Deciding Officer Garda Síochána (Discipline) Regulations, 2007

IA19 Decision of Designated Officer Regulation 45 Garda Síochána (Discipline)

Regulations, 2007

IA31 Appointment of Investigating Officer Regulation 23 Garda Síochána (Discipline) Regulations, 2007

IA32 Notice of Investigation Regulation 24 Garda Síochána (Discipline) Regulations, 2007

IA51 Notice of Appeal. Regulation 33 Garda Síochána (Discipline) Regulations 2007

IA71 Suspension of a Member of AGS From Duty

ICB1 Career Break Application Form

Inspector Application and Assessment Form 2013

Inspector Application and Assessment Form 2014

MN1 Unpaid Maternity Leave Notification

Notification of Formal Variations to Shifts

Occupational Health Service Referral

Parental Leave Job Sharing Roster

Parents Leave Application Form

Paternity Leave Application Form

Patten Exchange Evaluation Report PSNI2011

Patten Exchange Program Application Form Garda and Sergeant Ranks 2012

Patten Exchange Program Application Form Inspector Rank 2012

Pensions Declaration Form

PG4 Progress Report on Probationer Garda Week 60-92

PG4R Progress Report on Reserve Probationer Garda

PG5 Phase IV Module 1 Probationer Assessment Criteria Meeting

PG6 Phase IV Module 2 Probationer Assessment Criteria Meeting

PL1 Parental Leave Application Form

Record of Working Time Performed Outside of An Garda Síochána

Retired Members Reference

Return to Work Report - Appendix B of HQ-139-2010

S2 Sickness Absence Form

Sergeant Application Form and Assessment Form

Sickness Absence Contact/Visit - Appendix A of HQ-139-2010

Sponsored Course Application Form 2011/2012

SPSPS Refund of Member Pension Contributions

SR1 Sick Absence Report Form

TCO Request Form

VDU Eye Test Report Form