

Citizens Information Board FOI Disclosure Log 2017 to 2021

Reference	Date of request	Category of requester	Description of the request	Decision made	Date of release
FOI/2021/012	16 June 2021	Journalist	<p>1. How much of this money has been spent specifically in Longford CIC on HR/IR investigations, appeals and workplace reviews etc.</p> <p>2. How much money has been spent in Longford CIC on HR/IR investigations, appeals and workplace reviews since its official launch of Longford CIC to the public in Feb 2001 and Dec. 2017</p>	Not granted, CIB invokes section 37 (1) of the Act and section 15 (1) (a)	14/07/2021
FOI/2021/011	16 June 2021	Journalist	<p>1. Since the regionalisation of Citizens Information Services how many HR/IR investigations, appeals, workplace reviews etc have been carried out within the NLCIS Company Registered No. 621214.</p> <p>2. How much money has been expended on the contracting out of HR/IR investigations, appeals and workplace reviews within the NLCIS Company Registered No. 621214</p>	Not granted, CIB invokes section 37 (1) of the Act and section 15 (1) (a)	14/07/2021

			<p>3. Does NLCIS Company Registered No. 621214 have a HR Committee and if so what is the Terms of Reference for this committee.</p> <p>4. Who is on the HR Committee and how many of those listed are qualified in Human Resources/Employment Law.</p> <p>5. Has NLCIS established a Local Advisory Committee consistent with the agreed provisions in the Regionalisation of the Citizens Information Service.</p> <p>6. Copies of all Board Meetings of NLCIS including HR Sub-Committee meetings since the establishment of NLCIS consistent with CRO.</p>		
FOI/2021/010	14 June 2021	Member of the Public	<p>Please advise what technologies (including version) you use for:</p> <p>Please advise if any of the following services are outsourced to third parties, and if so, when does the contract end?</p> <p>HR, Payroll, L&D, Finance, Procurement, Contact Centre</p>	Part Granted	12/07/2021

FOI/2021/003	12 April 2021	Member of the Public	<p>1. Two permanent part time roles were advertised on the CIB website in October 2020 for Galway and Roscommon. Can you please confirm if these were newly created roles or did these vacancies arise from resignations or retirements or otherwise.</p> <p>2. Two permanent part time roles were advertised on the CIB website for Galway and Roscommon in February and April 2021. Can you please confirm if these were newly created roles or did these vacancies arise from resignations or retirements or otherwise. Are they the same roles that were advertised in October 2020?</p> <p>3. A permanent part-time role was advertised for Sligo CIS on the CIB website in August /September 2020. Can you please confirm if this was a newly created role or if the vacancy arose as a result of a retirement or a resignation or otherwise.</p> <p>4. Please confirm if the permanent part time role advertised on the CIB website in August /September 2020 for Sligo CIS has since been filled or what is the current status of that role?</p>	Not Granted, CIB invokes section 15 (1) (a) of FOI Act.	10/05/2021
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FOI/2021/002	4 May 2021	Other	<p>Under the FOI Act 2014, I am seeking a full copy of the original email forwarded by a member of CIB staff to the companies in relation to illness Benefit / Enhanced Illness Benefit entitlement and Covid-19, see below for a copy. In particular, I request the full email including the date of the email, contact details of the person from the Department of Social Protection who drafted the email and to whom, in CIB the email was sent to.</p>	Granted	01/06/2021
FOI/2021/001	16 February 2021	Journalist	<p>A list/database/or spreadsheet of all purchase orders of over €20,000 for the period 2018, 2019 and 2020</p>	Part Granted – Limited information available due to limited access to office due to public health guidelines	16/03/2021

FOI/2020/004	15 September 2020	Journalist	Copies of any records held referring or relating to changes made to the CIB website regarding self-isolation for those undergoing testing for Covid-19. This request to cover the period 1 September 2020 to date of receipt of the request.	Part Granted – Personal Information redacted under section 37	12 October 2020
FOI/2020/002	14 February 2020	Journalist	All minutes of CIB Board meetings held during 2019.	Granted	24 February 2020
FOI/2019/004	27 August 2019	Other	Requested all copies of any legal opinion and/or opinions carried out by the Irish Governments or by agents of the Irish Government or by external legal firms acting for the Irish Government on whether it would be in contravention of human rights and environmental law to establish a 5G system in Eire.	Not granted	30 August 2019
FOI/2019/003	15 August 2019	Other	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Report prepared by Persuasion Ltd on MABS National Development (ii) May 2019 minutes of CIB Board (iii) Copy of Business Case for restructuring of CISs and MABs presented to Board Meeting on 9th Dec 2015 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Refused –under S 36(1)(c) (ii) Refused –under S 36(1)(c) and S37(1) (iii) Granted 	6 September 2019

FOI/2019/002	30 July 2019	Other	Requested copy of our "Record of Processing Activities" (ROPA)	Granted	27 August 2019
FOI/2018/007	22 Oct 2018	Other	Requested details of legal and professional fees discharged by the Citizens Information Board in relation to matters that were linked to Co Wexford CIS for defined periods of time.	Part-Granted Break-down of records refused under Section 36 (1)	21 Dec 2018
FOI/2017/008	15 Dec 2017	Other	Copies of minutes of each CIB Board meeting held during the period from 1 June 2016 to 13 December 2017.	11 sets of Minutes - fully granted.	18 Dec 2017
FOI/2017/005	8 May 2017	Other	<p>A copy of the minutes of any CIB Board meetings held during the period from 1st September 2014 to 31st December 2014.</p> <p>A copy of any communication in any format from the Department of Social Protection to the CIB Chief Executive Officer regarding the reorganisation, / restructuring of Citizens Information Services during the period 1st September 2014 to 31st January 2015</p> <p>A copy of any communication in any format from the Department of Social Protection to the CIB Board regarding the reorganisation / restructuring of Citizens Information Services during the period 1st September 2014 to 31st January 2015.</p>	<p>Granted</p> <p>Decision refused under Section 15(1)(a)</p> <p>Decision refused under Section 15(1)(a)</p>	29 May 2017

FOI/2017/004	19 April 2017	Journalist	Records of all payments to Fergus Heffernan, CHH Services, or RD Consult for training or other services provided during 2010 – 2017 inclusive.	Granted	26 April 2017
FOI/2017/002	24 Feb 2017	Other	<p>A copy of the minutes of the Comhairle / NSSB Board meeting held in 1999 at which the development plan for Co. Mayo Citizens Information Service was considered and approved.</p> <p>A copy of the '<i>Business Case for Restructuring of CIS and MABS</i>' presented to CIB Board meeting on 9th December 2015.</p> <p>A copy of any further documents produced on the costs of restructuring or any cost benefit analysis carried out on restructuring subsequent to 9th December 2015.</p> <p>A copy of the CIS and MABS Restructuring Committee Report, dated 17th January 2017.</p> <p>Note: the following was provided CIS & MABS Restructuring Sub-Committee Report for Board Meeting 15th February 2017</p>	<p>Granted</p> <p>Granted</p> <p>Granted</p> <p>Decision refused under Section 15(1)(a)</p>	<p>15 Mar 2017</p> <p>23 Mar 2017</p>

FOI/2017/001	20 Feb 2017	Journalist	A list of external legal practitioners (solicitors/law firms and barristers) paid in 2015 and 2016 for services carried out on behalf of the Citizens Information Board.	Granted	23 Feb 2017
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