

National Transport Authority - FOI Disclosure Log (Non-Personal Requests)
Quarter 4 2023 (1 October 2023 - 31 December 2023)

FOI Reference	Date Received	Brief Description of Request	Requestor Category	Decision	Date Decision letter issued	Reason for refusal / part-grant
2023-0125	02/10/2023	On 12/09/2023 the Galway City Council Transport Strategic Policy Committee (SPC) received a presentation on a "Galway Metropolitan Area Transport Strategy" (presentation attached). The SPC meeting was informed that this will include a review of the 2016 Galway Transport Strategy and that there is a coordination group overseeing this process (See Slide Number 10). Under Freedom of Information, I request the names and organisational affiliations of the members of this coordination group and any roles with reference to that group (Chair, Secretary etc). I also request a copy of the terms of reference given to the consultants. If there are separate terms of reference with regard to any review or update of the 2016 GTS I also request a copy of these please. I am happy to receive any documents in electronic format.	Member of the Public	Part-Granted	27/10/2023	Section 15(1)(a)
2023-0126	02/10/2023	1. A breakdown of 2022 passenger totals travelling on Locallink Services split by each Transport Co-ordination Unit. 2. A breakdown of the passenger numbers traveling on each Locallink Limerick Clare Route for each year and for each service for 2019, 2022 and Jan/August 2023. 3. A breakdown of the total 2022 payments made by the NTA in respect of the Rural Transport Programme and the Free Travel Pass Scheme split by each TCU.	Industry	Part-Granted	01/11/2023	Section 36(1)(c)
2023-0127	02/10/2023	[1.] a database/spreadsheet/record of the amount paid to "influencers" by the NTA in the period 1 Jan 2021 to date. This record to be broken down according to influencer and the name of the campaign if applicable. [2.] a copy of the brief given to each influencer for their work for the NTA during the above period. [3.] a copy of the business case/cost benefit analysis/sanction or approval documents associated with NTA campaigns involving influencers during the same period.	Journalist	Part-Granted	31/10/2023	Section 36(1)(b); Section 37(1)
2023-0128	02/10/2023	A copy of the nomination submission made on behalf of the Seafield residence Association Booterstown, for the NTS 'safe and quiet streets' grant under the NTA active travel investment grants scheme 2023	Member of the Public	Refused	04/10/2023	Section 15(1)(a)
2023-0129	03/10/2023	A full list of all bus stops served by Bus Átha Cliath-Dublin Bus, Bus Éireann-Irish Bus and Go-Ahead Transport Services (Dublin) Limited	Member of the Public	Grant	04/10/2023	

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2023-0130	03/10/2023	<p>Regarding the Public Consultation Report 2018-2022 Kimmage corridor (Supplementary information)</p> <p>[1.] There is reference in page 493 of that report to seven meetings with LOKRA on 2 April 2019 15 April 2019 16 July 2019 20 September 2019 11 December 2019 22 October 2020 25 March 2021</p> <p>I am requesting all papers in your possession or procurement related to those meetings including without prejudice minutes of those meetings and any notes made by any of your officials in relation to the discussions.</p> <p>[2.] I note also reference on the same page to a meeting with Stannaway Road Residents on 14 June 2021 and I am requesting all papers in your possession or procurement related to that meeting.</p> <p>[3.] There is reference in page 428 and 438 of that report to notice sent to community forum members on 6 November 2020 and to a meeting of the Community Forum held on 9 November 2020. Please provide any documents in your possession related to that notice and meeting and any notes made by any of your officials in relation to the discussions at the meeting.</p>	Member of the Public	Part-Granted	26/10/2023	Section 37(1)
2023-0131	04/10/2023	All documents concerning the Millars Lane, Galway Permeability Project (GCC/20/0004) as referenced in Sustainable Transport Measures Grants: 2021 Allocations", available online and dated 3rd February 2021. Request all documentation in NTA's possession concerning this project, from initial proposal to date.	Member of the Public	Grant	03/11/2023	
2023-0132	05/10/2023	Number of passengers in Heuston Station	Member of the Public	Non FOI	16/10/2023	
2023-0133	05/10/2023	All records relating to correspondence between the National Transport Authority and Uber, or individuals representing Uber, since the start of 2023 to date.	Member of the Public	Part-Granted	06/11/2023	Section 36(1)(b); Section 37(1)

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2023-0134	06/10/2023	All submissions made to you in the three stages of consultation on this scheme that refer to the section of the corridor on the Lower Kimmage Road from the Kimmage Cross Road junction (at Terenure Road West)to the entrance to the Hospice at Harold's Cross.	Member of the Public	Refused	07/11/2023	Section 15(1)(c)
2023-0135	06/10/2023	All records you have related to compliance with timetables and live data you have on record relating to Drogheda routes D1,2,3,4,5, for 2022 to date.	Member of the Public	Refused	07/11/2023	Section 15(1)(c)
2023-0136	06/10/2023	If you are applying for PSV license is there some categories you are exempt from for instance, dyslexia, from a different country, little English knowledge.	Member of the Public	Non FOI	12/10/2023	
2023-0137	12/10/2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • I request any records or documents that detail the modelling used to create Dublin Bus timetables. • I request records or documents that list the variables considered in the bus timetable models, such as time trends, seasonality, length of route, local attributes (schools, business, built-up), speed limits, pick-up time, etc. • I request records or documents of any internal/external consultation related to bus timetable modelling and/or records that details how timetables are created • I request records or documents that explain whether Google maps is used in calculating journey times • I request records or documents that describe the modelling or considerations used for assigning a driver's schedule 	Member of the Public	Part-Granted	11/12/2023	Section 36(1)(b); Section 15(1)(a)
2023-0138	17/10/2023	45a Bus routes that arrived late, on time and also cancelled during 2022-2023	Member of the Public	Non FOI	19/10/2023	
2023-0139	17/10/2023	All documents and records covering internal and external communications regarding the zoning of a site in Co. Dublin during the period of 1 January 2021 to 17 October 2023 between the NTA and DHLGH, Fingal County Council, the Minister and the Minister of State of Housing, Local Government and Heritage, TII and OPR.	Representative	Grant	16/11/2023	
2023-0140	23/10/2023	All records associated with the construction of a bus shelter as stop 7672 (Broombridge)	Member of the Public	Part-Granted	14/11/2023	Section 29(1)(a); Section 36(1)(b); Section 37(1)
2023-0141	23/10/2023	A list of expired SPSV Vehicle Plate Licences: (1) SPSV vehicle plate licence (eg. 12345); (2) Date of expiry ☐	Industry	Part-Granted	16/11/2023	Section 37(1)

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2023-0142	24/10/2023	1. Minutes and Agenda for meetings of the Bus Eireann Disability User Group. 2. Internal correspondence in Bus Eireann in relation to the new entry system in the Drogheda Bus Depot and the exclusion of Taxis.	Member of the Public	Refused	02/11/2023	Section 15(1)(a)
2023-0143	31/10/2023	Any records associated with the following (reference at June 2023 board meeting) Strategic Risks – Climate & Sustainability	Journalist	Part-Granted	29/11/2023	Section 29(1)(a)(b)
2023-0144	07/11/2023	All records, generated since 1 January 2023 1. which would indicate or tend to indicate, for each transport operator, what proportion of listings on RTPI displays originates from internal planning systems, and what proportion originates from automatic vehicle location systems 2. which would indicate or tend to indicate, for each transport operator, where a bus is cancelled a. what proportion of listings on RTPI displays are cancelled before the scheduled departure time of the bus, b. what proportion of listings on RTPI displays are cancelled after the scheduled departure time of the bus, but before its scheduled arrival time at its last pick-up location, c. and what proportion of listings on RTPI displays are not cancelled 3. which would indicate or tend to indicate, for each transport operator, what proportion of their buses have an active, live, working automatic vehicle location system which successfully transfers data to the RTPI system As an alternative to the above items, I will be happy to accept a statement from the NTA confirming the numbers in each case. In addition, I am requesting all records, generated since 1 January 2022 of [4]. correspondence within the NTA or between the NTA and transport operators regarding the accuracy, reliability and completeness of data supplied for RTPI displays, whatever the data's origin. [5]. correspondence within the NTA or between the NTA and any third party other than private individuals, that gives consideration to indicating to passengers which data on RTPI displays originates from transport operators' internal planning systems, and which originates from automatic vehicle location systems	Member of the Public	Refused	08/01/2024	Section 15(1)(a); Section 15(1)(c)

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2023-0145	08/11/2023	The civil and mechanical engineering entities that currently hold the following frameworks/contracts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BusConnects Dublin • BusConnects Galway • BusConnects Limerick • BusConnects Cork • BusConnects Waterford 	Industry	Non FOI	21/11/2023	
2023-0146	09/11/2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A copy of all minutes of meetings between NCBI and the NTA in relation to the NCBI Wayfinding and/or National Transport Training Centre between 01 July 2021 and present. • I am also requesting a copy of all correspondence and minutes of meetings between other disability organisations / advocates and the NTA in relation to the NCBI Wayfinding and/or National Transport Training Centre between 01 July 2021 and present. This includes, but is not limited to, the following organisations: Disability Federation of Ireland (DFI), Dublin City Council's Public Participation Network (PPN) Disability Thematic Group, Irish Wheelchair Association as well as individual disability advocates. This does not include correspondence relating to logistics around meeting times and dates. • This request is to cover the period 01 July 2021 to the date of receipt of this request. 	Journalist	Part-Granted	08/12/2023	Section 15(1)(a); Section 36(1)(b)
2023-0147	09/11/2023	Records relating to complaints made to the authority about taxi drivers in Ireland since 1 January 2023 including a breakdown of all complaints and the reasons given for them in tabular form, as well as a sample of 30 emails complaining about taxi drivers with redacted identifying information.	Journalist	Non FOI	08/12/2023	
2023-0148	10/11/2023	Number of times bikes were released from the TFI Public Bike Scheme docking stations in Limerick City in the years 2019 to 2023 (to date)	Journalist	Grant	14/11/2023	
2023-0149	13/11/2023	A copy of the Road Safety Audit in respect of the Clontarf to City Centre Project Scheme for the section of the works on Amiens Street	Representative	Transferred to other FOI Body	16/11/2023	
2023-0151	17/11/2023	The sound files of the automated announcements used onboard Bus Eireann and Dublin Bus and Luas Trams please. This should include both the English language announcements and the Irish language announcements	Member of the Public	Part-Granted	05/12/2023	Section 15(1)(a)

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2023-0152	20/11/2023	Correspondence to and from the office of the National Transport Authority's chief executive in relation to the staging of the Dublin City Marathon. This should include a record of letters, emails, text messages, WhatsApp messages, briefing documents, draft briefing documents, memos, draft memos, and presentations. This correspondence should include that sent/received internally at the National Transport Authority, as well as correspondence with Dublin City Marathon organisers, Dublin City Marathon sponsors, Dublin City Council, Dublin Bus, and the offices of ministers at the Department of Tourism and Sport.	Journalist	Part-Granted	03/01/2024	Section 36(1)(b); Section 37(1)
2023-0153	21/11/2023	Information under the Freedom of Information act on any activities funded by carbon tax revenues which are administered by DoT. Specifically, I am looking for any economic impact or environmental impact evaluations of activities funded under: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Greenways/ urban cycling projects funded by the carbon tax - Electric vehicle grants funded by the carbon tax - Investment in EV charging infrastructure funded by the carbon tax 	Member of the Public	Refused	05/12/2023	Section 15(1)(a)
2023-0154	21/11/2023	A copy of minutes of NTA board meetings held between August and November, 2023.	Journalist	Grant	20/12/2023	
2023-0155	22/11/2023	[1.] The report on the design construction and proposed use of the pedal cab [2.] The results of the NTA's determination that the proposed pedal cab does not meet the legislative definition of a mechanically propelled vehicle [3.] Any correspondence requiring the proposed pedal cabs requiring insurance to operate for hire and reward in a public place [4.] Any correspondence requiring the operator requiring Garda vetting prior to operating.	Member of the Public	Part-Granted	21/12/2023	
2023-0156	27/11/2023	Records specifically in relation to the OPW site at Castletown House, the purchase of lands, any optioneering reports, proposed layouts and other pertinent information relating to this site	Member of the Public	Non FOI	21/12/2023	

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2023-0157	28/11/2023	1) The amount that the NTA has spent on Spines B and D of Dublin BusConnect Programme to date. What I mean spent as in Consultancy reports etc 2) As of 28 November 2023 The routes within Spines B and D of this Dublin BusConnect Programme that have yet to come into operation; if known has the NTA any timeframe in which the routes within Spines B and D of Dublin BusConnect Programme will commence eg Spine Route D3 is expected to commence into operation from March 2024 subject to additional Government funding being provided and additional Bus Drivers being recruited etc	Member of the Public	Non FOI	05/12/2023	
2023-0159	05/12/2023	An up-to-date project directory and a list of sub-contractors, suppliers, and consultants of all the companies involved in the MacCurtain Street Public Transport Improvement Scheme	Journalist	Transferred to other FOI Body	11/12/2023	
2023-0161	08/12/2023	[Regarding Route 361 Ardmore to Dungarvan (from Youghal to Dungarvan from 11.12.2023)] 1. Data of usage currently by time. 2. Consultation process results from those living in ring and old parish.	Member of the Public	Part-Granted	11/01/2024	Section 37(1)
2023-0162	12/12/2023	1) As of 12 December 2023 The locations where NTA funded park n ride facility in the years of 2021, 2022 and to-date in 2023; if known could you include the number of parking spaces and opening hours in each funded park n ride facility in tabular form 2) As of 12 December 2023 The new locations where the NTA have agreed to fund new park n ride facility and where the works on the facility will commence in 2024 in tabular form	Member of the Public	Non FOI	11/01/2024	
2023-0163	14/12/2023	All details of the decision making process for changes to the local link route 361 Ardmore (now Youghal) to Dungarvan which took effect on 11 December 2023. In particular minutes of all relevant meetings and emails relating to this decision.	Member of the Public	Grant	16/01/2024	

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2023-0164	15/12/2023	[Regarding TFI Live App:] [1.] how much did it cost to build this app and how was it funded [2.] who built the app [3.] what customer testing was done on the app [4.] how many complaints have you received about the app [5.] what are you doing in relation to responding to the poor google app store reviews and user experience and to remediate issues with the app [6.] why was the existing dublin bus app which worked not considered for the national app [7.] what are the plans to remediate issues ☐	Member of the Public	Non FOI	22/12/2023	
2023-0165	15/12/2023	[1.] The numbers of non-accessible vehicles contracted to provide local-link services broken down by TCU [2.] The number of vehicles with sideways seats contracted to provide local-link services broken down by TCU [3.] The total number of vehicles contracted to provide local links services broken down by TCU.	Industry	Part-Granted	18/01/2024	Section 15(1)(a)
Tagairt FOI	Dáta Fála	Cur Síos Gairid ar an Iarratas	Catagóir an Iarratasóra	Cinneadh	Dáta eisiúna Litir an Chinnidh	Cúis leis an diúltú / ceadú páirteach
2023-0166	18/12/2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An cás gnó maidir le tionscadal ar bith lena ndéantar iarracht beart LRT11 ó Straitéis Iompair Mhórchéantar Bhaile Átha Cliath a chur i bhfeidhm • na téarmaí tagartha do ghrúpa oibre ar bith atá freagrach as beart LRT11 a chur i bhfeidhm • cás gnó eile ar bith lena ndéantar tagairt do bheart LRT11 <p><i>[Translation]</i> • The business case for any project seeking to implement LRT11 measure from the Greater Dublin Area Transport Strategy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the terms of reference of any working group responsible for implementing the LRT11 measure • any other business case that refers to measure LRT11 	Ball an Phobail	Ceadaithe go Páirteach	15/01/2024	Alt 15(1)(a)
			Member of the Public	Part-Granted		Section 15(1)(a)
2023-0167	18/12/2023	Documents for the year 2023 regarding fraud	Industry	Grant	19/01/2024	

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2023-0168	19/12/2023	[1.] Copy of protected disclosures in respect of unlicensed vehicles operating on local link services and NTA responses. [2.] Copies of any complaints in respect of unlicensed vehicles operating on local links services in 2022 or 2023 and any NTA response.	Industry	Part-Granted	23/01/2024	Section 15(1)(a)
2023-0169	22/12/2023	Why all buses need to be the same livery stripping the brands of their identity?	Member of the Public	Non FOI	08/01/2024	
2023-0170	27/12/2023	I am seeking access to any and all records related to the investigation and findings conducted by the National Transport Authority in connection with the Kentstown bus crash in 2005. Specifically, I am interested in obtaining information on safety inspections, reports, recommendations, and any correspondence related to this incident.	Member of the Public	Refused	11/01/2024	Section 15(1)(a)
2023-0171	28/12/2023	1) The number of assaults on Bus Eireann drivers that took place in (i) 2022 and (ii) 2023, along with a breakdown on the routes on which the assaults took place. 2) The number of assaults on Dublin Bus drivers that took place in (i)2022 and (ii) 2023, along with a breakdown on the routes on which the assaults took place.	Journalist	Part-Granted	27/02/2024	Section 35(1)(a); Section 18(1)
2023-0172	28/12/2023	A copy of all complaints the National Transport Authority received in relation to taxis in (i) 2022 and (ii) 2023.	Journalist	Non FOI	11/01/2024	
2023-0173	28/12/2023	A record containing details of all complaints received by the NTA in relation to taxi service providers during the period January 1, 2023 to the present date	Journalist	Non FOI	11/01/2024	