Dear Sir/Madam,

Under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, I wish to apply for

- The amount of money paid under fuel card schemes annually, broken down by supplier, by the Department of Communications from January 1, 2011 to date.

The requested records contain non-personal information and I would like to receive them in electronic format to this e-mail address.

Please contact me on the below number if clarification is needed on any of the above.

Kind regards,

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09/06/2015

FOI Request Reference: FOI/2015/57

Dear

I refer to your request which was received by this office on 08/06/2015 which you have made under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 for records held by this FOI body. Your request sought:

The amount of money paid under fuel card schemes annually, broken down by supplier, by the Department of Communications from January 1, 2011 to date.

The decision maker handling your request is Mr Brian Walsh, Finance & Corporate Division, Department of Communications, Energy and Natural Resources, Elm House, Earlsvale Road, Co Cavan and they can be contacted at 01 6782423. A final decision on your request would normally be sent to you within 4 weeks, where a week is defined as 5 working days excluding the weekend and public holidays. This means that you can expect a decision letter to issue not later than 07/07/2015.

There are some limited situations under the FOI Act which could mean that the period for a final decision may be longer than this 4 week period. If this occurs in the case of your request, you will be advised promptly in writing setting out the reason and the new decision date.

Should our final decision not reach you on time, please feel free to contact the decision maker named above to discuss any problems that may have arisen. If you have not heard from us once the allotted time has expired, you are automatically entitled to appeal for a review of the matter. This review proceeds on the legal basis that the initial request is considered to be refused once the specified time for responding to it has expired. The review is a full and new examination of the matter carried out by a more senior member of staff.

In the event that you need to request such a review, you can do so by writing to FOI Unit, Department of Communications, Energy and Natural Resources, Elm House, Earlsvale Rd, Cavan, Co Cavan or alternatively by sending an e-mail to FOIUNIT@dcenr.gov.ie. You should state that you are seeking this review because an initial decision was not sent to you within the time allowed for a response. In that event, you would normally have 4 weeks (after the initial decision should have been sent to you) in which to make the appeal. Consideration will be given to late applications in appropriate circumstances.

Please note the Department of Communications, Energy and Natural Resources has a policy of posting a summary of all non-personal FOI requests and decisions to the Departments website.

Yours sincerely,

Una Ward
FOI Unit
2nd July 2015

Re: FOI request 2015/57

Dear

I refer to the request which you made under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 for records held by this body:

The amount of money paid under fuel card schemes annually, broken down by supplier, by the Department of Communications from January 1, 2011 to date

I have now made a final decision to grant your request today.

You have sought access to the records in electronic format and I consider this an appropriate form of access in this case. Accordingly, a copy of the records is now enclosed.

In the event that you are not happy with this decision you may seek a review of this decision by writing to the Freedom of Information Unit, Department of Communications, Energy and Natural Resources, Elm House, Earlsvale Road, Cavan or by e-mail to FOI_Unit@doenr.gov.ie. seeking an internal review of the matter and referring to or enclosing a copy of this letter. Please note that the application fee for an appeal is currently €30.00. Payment should be made by electronic fund transfer (EFT) which is the Department’s preferred method of payment.

The Department’s bank details are:

Bank: Bank of Ireland, Main Street, Cavan.

Account Name: Department of Communications, Energy and Natural Resources, Accounts Receivable.
IBAN:

BIC:

However, payment can also be made by way of bank draft, money postal order, or personal cheque made payable to the Department of Communications, Energy and Natural Resources.

You should submit your appeal within 4 weeks from the date of this notification, where a day is defined as a working day excluding the weekend and public holidays. The making of a late appeal may be permitted in appropriate circumstances. The review will involve a complete reconsideration of the matter by a more senior member of the staff of this body and the decision will be communicated to you within 3 weeks.

Should you have any questions or concerns regarding the above, please contact me by telephone on 01 678 2423

Yours sincerely,

Brian Walsh
Finance and Corporate Affairs Division
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