

FOI Requests: 01 January 2023 - 31 December 2023

Number	Ref. Number	Date Rec'd	Category	Subject	Due Date	Status
1	NM-01-10-163	05-Jan-23	Journalist	"access to external evaluations of the National Museum board since 2020"	10-Feb-23	Granted
2	NM-01-10-164	01-Feb-23	Journalist	"copies of any records held referring or relating to the possibility of returning or repatriating the Mount Keefe Chalice to Ireland. This request to cover the period 1 Jan 2022 to date of receipt of the request".	02-Mar-23	Granted
3	NM-01-10-165	28-Feb-23	Journalist	"a spreadsheet/database/record of all complaints made to the National Museum in 2022. This record to be anonymised but ideally to include the month of the complaint, its location, a brief line description of the issue, and its current status e.g. upheld, resolved, rejected etc"	29-Mar-23	Granted
4	NM-01-10-166	29-Mar-23	Journalist	"A copy of any business case, cost benefit analysis, viability study, or other such approval/sanction documents associated with plans to open a satellite of the Natural History Museum at Collins Barracks during proposed future closure of the museum on Merrion Street."	28-Apr-23	Not granted
5	NM-01-10-167	01-May-23	Other	"Copies of all logs or reports of incidents recorded by security personnel at the Museum of Natural History during the years 2021 and 2022."	15-Jun-23	Not granted
6	NM-01-10-168	01 May 2023	Other	"Táim ag iarriadh gach leagan den Phlean Gníomhaithe ar son na hAeráide, atá de dhualgas ag gach eagraíocht a bheith acu de réir an Acht Aeráide, le 1. Sonraí iomlán de gach Phleann a bhí agat ó dul-i-bhfeidhm an Achta 2. Dáta ar a foilsíodh gach Plean 3. Dáta ar a chuaigh gach Plean i bhfeidhm 4. An méid airgead, miondhealaithe de réir cúiseanna na gcoastas, a caitheadh ar chruthú agus ar chur i bhfeidhm gach Plean."	12-Jun-23	Granted

7	NM-01-10-169	04-May-23	Journalist	<p>“- a copy of the following presentation/paper: Energy crisis. A. Loughlin updated the Board on the significant impact of the energy crisis on the NMI’s sites. The Director informed the Board of the funding made available to NMI through the energy support package by the DTCAGS&M. G. Sheridan left the meeting.</p> <p>- a record of how much has been spent by NMI on electricity and/or heating in each of the last twelve months, broken down if possible by venue”.</p>	15-Jun-23	Partially granted
8	NM-01-10-170	30-May-23	Journalist	“Preliminary Business Case phase of the Natural History redevelopment”	28-Jun-23	Not granted
9	NM-01-10-171	28-Jun-23	Education	<p>1. A list of the members of and all documentation created by, or for all purposes relating to, the Collections Provenance Working Group (Board minutes, 25 June 2020, 3 (c)), and if it has now been submitted, the strategy and business case scheduled for 2021 (https://www.museum.ie/en-IE/Collections-Research/Irish-Antiquities_Division-Collections/About-the-collection)</p> <p>2. A list of the members of, and all documentation created by, or for the purposes of, the General Public Advisory Committee where those documents relate to (i) the matter commonly referred to as decolonisation (eg. the report referred to in the Board minutes, 10 June 2021, 5.2 (a)), and (ii) to that of the deaccessioning and/or disposal of NMI accessions, other than the published policy NMI-POL-DEV-002 of 2019</p>	24-Aug-23	Granted
10	NM-01-10-172	11-Jul-23	Journalist	“- a spreadsheet/database/list/inventory or record of all archaeological discoveries that were notified to the National Museum over the past twelve months. This record should include the date, county location, and a brief line description of the find and item”.	09-Aug-23	Not granted

11	NM-01-10-173	01-Sep-23	Journalist	<p>“copies of all correspondence and the Museum with regard to the field gun referenced in the following newspaper article: https://www.independent.ie/regionals/dublin/lost-and-found-field-gun-used-during-the-civilwar-goes-on-display-after-it-was-found-covered-in-ivy-outside-us-restaurant/42335693.html”</p> <p>“Types of records re: the logistics can be excluded from the scope of the request”</p>	27-Oct-23	Partially granted
12	NM-01-10-174	31-Oct-23	Journalist	<p>“- a copy of any correspondence between NMI and its parent department with regard to its budget allocation in Budget 2024. - a copy of any pre-budget submission prepared by the NMI for use or submission ahead of Budget 2024”.</p>	19-Dec-23	Granted
13	NM-01-10-176	28-Nov-23	Journalist	<p>“copies of all records held referring or relating to the wrapping of a protective covering on the basking shark in the Natural History Museum”</p>	28-Dec-23	Granted
14	NM-01-10-177	29-Nov-23	Other	<p>“Any document which records missing, stolen or damaged artifacts over the past 20 years as well as what each item was and the date when it was lost”.</p>	29-Jan-24	Granted