

26th July 2018

E-Mail: [REDACTED]

Phone: [REDACTED]

Re: FOI Request Response [IE_FOI_169]

Dear [REDACTED]

I refer to your request dated 06th July 2018 made under the Freedom of Information Act 2014, which was received on that day for records held by Iarnród Éireann.

Request:

- A copy of Child Safeguarding policies for Iarnród Éireann
- A copy of Garda Vetting cert of the relevant RPU officer

I, Norman Harte, have now made a final decision to grant your request on 25th July 2018.

You have sought access to the records as listed above and I consider this an appropriate form of access in this case. Accordingly, a copy of the records is now attached including a copy of the schedule to these records.

Response:

- A copy of Child Safeguarding policies for Iarnród Éireann

There is no requirement for Iarnród Éireann to have such a policy in place as it not defined as a "relevant service" under the Children First Act 2015 schedule 1.

- A copy of Garda Vetting cert of the relevant RPU officer

Given that Iarnród Éireann is not a relevant service there is no necessity for Iarnród Éireann to conduct Garda vetting of its revenue officers.

Rights of appeal

In the event that you are not happy with this decision you can make an appeal in relation to this matter, you can do so by writing to the FOI Unit, Corporate Communications, Iarnród Éireann Irish Rail, Connolly Station, Amiens St, Dublin 1 or by e-mail to foi@irishrail.ie. You should make your appeal within 4 weeks (20 working days) from the date of this notification, where a day is defined as a working day excluding, the weekend and public holidays, however, the making of a late appeal may be permitted in appropriate circumstances.

The appeal will involve a complete reconsideration of the matter by a more senior member of the staff of this body.

Should you have any questions or concerns regarding the above, please contact the FOI Officer on 01, 7034293.

Yours sincerely,


Mr. Norman Harte

Decision Maker

Freedom of Information Request:
Schedule of Records for IE_FOI_169 : Summary for Decision Making

Record No.	Date of Record	Brief Description	No. of Pages	Decision: Grant/Part Grant/Refuse	Section of Act if applicable	Record Edited/Identify Deletions
1	25.07.18	Request for copy of child safeguarding policy/Request for Garda Vetting document	1	Grant		

Signed



Norman Harte

Decision Maker