



## An Roinn Gnóthaí Eachtracha agus Trádála Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade

Our Ref: Fol/Req/17/161

Date: 21/08/2017

Craig Farrell,  
Irish Sun.

Dear Mr Farrell,

I refer to the request which you have made under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 for access to records held by this Department, as follows:

*In accordance with section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act, 2014, I wish to request access to the following records that I believe to be held by the Department:*

- *An account of how much money the DFAT has disbursed to the Clinton Foundation since Jan. 1, 2002.*
- *A breakdown of what money - if any - went to which arm of the Clinton Foundation, and for what purpose.*
- *A copy of any memoranda of understanding (MOUs) agreed between DFAT and the Clinton Foundation during that time period.*
- *A list of all meetings between DFAT officials and the Clinton Foundation since Jan. 1, 2008*

I have identified twelve (12) records that fall within the scope of your request. The records are listed in the schedule attached. I have made a decision to grant all twelve of these records.

Within the timeframe of your request, the Government of Ireland signed three Memoranda of Understanding with the Clinton Foundation, and the Clinton Health Access Initiative, where we committed to work in partnership in selected countries. In addition, contracts and financing agreements were signed covering all disbursements made to the Clinton Foundation and the Clinton Health Access Initiative during this period. These are included in the files granted, and are listed in the attached schedule.

## Right of Appeal

Should you wish to appeal this decision, you may do so in writing to the Freedom of Information Unit, Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade, 76-78 Harcourt Street, Dublin 2 or by email to [foi@dfa.ie](mailto:foi@dfa.ie). A fee applies for an appeal for access to non-personal information; the level of this fee has been set at €30. For methods of payment, please contact FOI Unit at [foi@dfa.ie](mailto:foi@dfa.ie), or 01-4082857.

You should make your appeal within 4 weeks (20 working days) from the date of this notification. 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 Department.

Yours sincerely



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