



13/09/2023

Kieran Rose

**Re: FOI-0340-2023**

Dear Mr. Rose

I refer to your request dated 14/08/2023 made under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 for records held by this FOI Body.

"All records in relation to my criticism of the reduction in apartments standards by the Minister in December 2015 including any communications with Dublin City Council "

I have now made a final decision to grant your request on 13/09/2023. Accordingly, a copy of the records is now enclosed including a copy of the schedule to these records.

### **Right of Appeal**

*In the event that you are not happy with this decision you can make an appeal in relation to this matter by writing to the Freedom of Information Unit, Department of Housing, Local Government and Heritage, Newtown Road, Wexford, Y35 AP90, or alternatively by sending an e-mail to [foi@housing.gov.ie](mailto:foi@housing.gov.ie). Your correspondence should include a fee of €30, or €10 if in receipt of a medical card, for processing the appeal. Payment can be made by way of personal cheque, made payable to the Department of the Housing, Local Government and Heritage, quoting FOI-0340-2021, or alternatively by depositing the relevant amount to the Department of the Housing, Local Government and Heritage's account using the details provided in the table below.*

*Please ensure you quote the FOI request number (FOI-0340-2023) making any such EFT payment. You should forward a copy of your transfer receipt to the FOI Unit at [FOI@housing.gov.ie](mailto:FOI@housing.gov.ie) quoting the above reference number also.*

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<b>Address</b>	<b>Irish State Building, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor International House, 3 Harbourmaster Place, IFSC, Dublin 1</b>
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*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 week-end 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 me by telephone on 01-888-2654

Yours sincerely,

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National and Regional and Urban Planning  
Department of Housing, Local Government and Heritage  
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