

FOI DOF/2025-0097

Request

1. Can you please specify what current Vacancies there is at EO1 Grade in the below departments within the Omagh area?
 - Department of Communities
 - Department of Agriculture, Environment and Rural Affairs
 - Department for the Economy
 - Department of Education
 - Department of Finance
 - Department of Health
 - Department of Infrastructure
 - Department of Justice.

2. Can I also request what Vacancies have been fulfilled at EO1 level since November 2024 within the above department in the Omagh area and the Job their job title?

DoF Response

I can confirm the department holds some of the information requested.

1. Details of the total vacancies in each department is not held centrally by Department of Finance. Each Civil Service department is responsible for managing its resources – both financial and staff. Each department determines its individual workforce needs and is responsible for ensuring that any additional staffing resources are affordable. When a department identifies a vacancy that needs filled, the request is referred to NICSHR to initiate the process to fill the post. NICSHR liaises with all departments on an ongoing basis to seek to prioritise recruitment activity within allocated financial and staff resources.

As at the end of January 2025, (the most recent figures available at time of the request), NICSHR was managing a caseload of 1 General Service Executive Officer 1 vacancies and 4 Non-General Service Executive Officer 1 vacancies in Omagh. The breakdown of the vacancies by Department is shown in the table below.

EO1 Vacancies in Omagh	DAERA	DfI	DoF	Total
General Service	1			1
Non-General Service		2	2	4
Total	1	2	2	5

2. As at the end of January 2025, (the most recent figures available at the time of the request), a total of 1 Non-General Service Executive Officer 1 vacancy had been filled in Omagh since November 2024.

The vacancy was for a Graduate Trainee Civil Engineer in the Department for Infrastructure, Transport and Road Asset Management Group, Major Projects West team and was filled on 6 January 2025.