

FOI DOF/2026-0312

Request

RE: IRC321611: Trainee Internal Auditor

1. How many interviewed
2. How many passed interview
3. How many post are available
4. How many have been appointed, if any

DoF response

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

1. There were 53 candidates interviewed.
2. A total of 29 candidates passed the interview.
3. 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 May 2026, (the most recent figures available at time of the request), NICSHR was managing a caseload of 10 vacancies which may be filled from Competition IRC321611.

4. As at the date of your request there had been no vacancies filled from Competition IRC321611.