

FOI DOF/2026-0352

Request

RE: Grade 7 competitions IRC327837 & IRC324878 – Head of Procurement Policy.

1. The total number of applicants to IRC324878 and the outcome of the eligibility sift (i.e. numbers deemed eligible and ineligible);
2. The total number of applicants to IRC327837, including the number who met and did not meet the procurement knowledge eligibility criterion; and
3. How the amended procurement knowledge criterion was interpreted and applied by the selection panel when assessing applications under IRC327837.

DoF response

I can confirm the department holds the information requested.

1. The total number of applicants to IRC324878 was 10. The eligibility sift did not take place.
2. The total number of applicants to IRC327837 was 17, of which there were 6 applicants who met the procurement knowledge eligibility criterion and 11 who did not meet the procurement knowledge eligibility criterion.
3. The sift panel assessed candidate's responses provided in their application against the eligibility criteria.