

FOI DOF/2023-0051

Request

Could I have a list of the current EO1 vacancies, broken down by department & location.

DoF Response

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

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 it needs filled, the request is referred to NICHR 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.

At the end of December 2022, the caseload of General Service and Analogous Grade EO1 vacancies NICSHR is managing is 545. Of these, 304 are General Service EO1 Grade vacancies and 241 are Non General Service (Analogous to EO1 Grade) vacancies. The two tables below provide the breakdown by department, town and office building as requested.

Location	DAERA	DE	DfC	DfE	DfI	DoF	DoH	DoJ	PPS	TEO	Total
Stormont Total	10			1		3	2	4		11	31
Total	35	9	150	17	21	23	2	34	2	11	304

Table 2 - Non General Service Analogous to EO1 Grade Vacancies

Location	DAERA	DfC	DfE	DfI	DoF	DoJ	PPS	Total
Antrim								
Crown Buildings				1				1
Greenmount	7							7
Tirgracy Road	1							1
Antrim Total	8			1				9
Armagh								
Atek Building	1							1
Armagh Total	1							1
Ballykelly								
Jubilee House	2							2
Ballykelly Total	2							2
Ballymena								
Academy House	6				2			8
Ballykeel Depot				2				2
County Hall Ballymena				2				2
Depot Ballykeel				3				3
Ballymena Total	6			7	2			15
Bangor								
Rathgael House					1			1
Bangor Total					1			1

Location	DAERA	DfC	DfE	DfI	DoF	DoJ	PPS	Total
Cookstown JBO			1					1
Loughry Campus	4							4
Rivers HQ, Loughry				1				1
Sandholes Road				1				1
Cookstown Total	4		1	2				7
Craigavon								
Depot Carn				1				1
Marlborough House				4	4			8
Craigavon Total				5	4			9
Derry-Londonderry								
Orchard House					1			1
Waterside House					3			3
Derry-Londonderry Total					4			4
Downpatrick								
Rathkeltair House	3			1				4
Downpatrick Total	3			1				4
Dungannon								
Peatlands Park	1							1
Dungannon Total	1							1
Enniskillen								
Castle Archdale	1							1
Inishkeen House	11							11
Enniskillen Total	12							12
Limavady								
Jubilee House	1							1
Magilligan						1		1
Limavady Total	1					1		2

Location	DAERA	DfC	DfE	DfI	DoF	DoJ	PPS	Total
Rivers Agency Plant Office Seagoe				3				3
Portadown Total				3				3
Stormont								
Castle Buildings				1				1
Craigtlet Buildings					20			20
Dundonald House	4				4	1		9
Massey House						1		1
Stormont Total	4			1	24	2		31
Total	95	2	7	56	65	15	1	241