

FOI DOF/2024-0383

Request

RE: Competition IRC302987 (Graduate Trainee Procurement Officer EO1)

1. How many people applied for the position.
2. How many jobs there were.

DoF Response

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

1. A total of 362 applications were received for Competition IRC302987.
2. 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 August 2024, (the most recent figures available at the time of the request), NICSHR was managing a caseload of 13 Graduate Trainee Procurement Officer EO1 vacancies to be filled from Competition IRC302987.