

29/07/2005

Mr Oliver Hart
The Oysterhaven Centre

Co.Cork
Ireland

FOI/0050/2005

Dear Mr Hart,

I refer to the request you have made under the Freedom of Information Act for access to records held by this Department in connection with the foreshore leases granted to Mr. Paul Rafferty and Mrs. Janice Rafferty of Walton Court, Oysterhaven, Co. Cork .

Your request has been granted and I attach all documents held on the Coastal Zone Management Division's files for the slipway and pontoon applications along with the finalised leases.

I wish to advise you that, if for any reason you are not satisfied with the outcome of your request, you are entitled to seek a review of the case by appealing the decision to this Department's FOI Internal Review Board. To appeal, you need to write to Mr John Wynne, FOI Unit, Department of Communications, Marine and Natural Resources, Leeson Lane, Dublin 2, Co Dublin. You must make your appeal within 4 weeks of the date of this letter, but the making of a late appeal may be permitted in appropriate circumstances. The appeal will involve a complete reconsideration of the matter by a more senior member of the staff of this Department.

Please note that an application fee for an appeal is currently €75.00 and a reduced fee of €25.00 applies if you are covered by a Medical Card.

If claiming a reduced application fee, the request must also be accompanied by

- The Medical Card registration number
- The name of the issuing Health Board
- Your consent to the verification of these details with that Health Board.

Payment should be made by way of bank draft, money postal order, or personal cheque made payable to "The Department of Communications, Marine & Natural Resources".

On receipt of the fee, an acknowledgement letter will be sent to you outlining details of when you can expect a decision on your appeal, and the contact details of the person handling the appeal.

Yours sincerely,

Laura Casey
Coastal Zone Management Division

04/07/2005

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Dear Mr Hart,

I refer to the Freedom of Information request received in this office on 04/07/2005 along with the associated fee.

The officer handling your request will be Ms Laura Casey, Coastal zone Division, Department of Communications, Marine & Natural Resources, Leeson Lane, Dublin 2, Co Dublin. She can be contacted at 6782133.

A final decision on your request will normally be sent to you within 4 weeks of receipt of your request. This means that you can expect to receive your decision by the 02/08/2005.

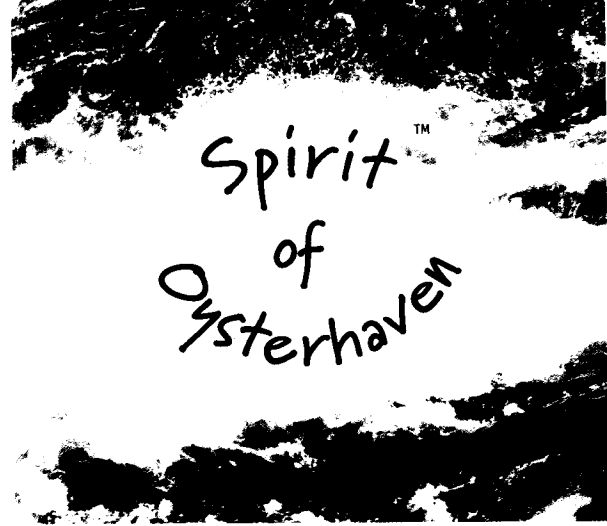
If you have not heard from us when the time allocated has expired, you are automatically entitled to appeal to the Department for a review of the matter. This review proceeds on the legal basis that the initial request is considered to be refused once the specified time for responding to it has expired.

You should also be aware that you are entitled to a review of the decision if your request is refused, or if you are for any reason dissatisfied with the outcome of your request. The review is a full and new examination of the matter carried out by a more senior member of staff of this Department. In the event that you need to make an appeal, you can do so by writing to Mr. John Wynne, FOI Unit, Department of Communications, Marine & Natural Resources, Leeson Lane, Dublin 2, Co Dublin. Please note that there is a charge for all appeals of FOI requests. This charge is currently €75.00. A reduced fee of €25.00 applies if you are the holder of a Medical Card.

Please note that the Department of Communications, Marine & Natural Resources has a policy of posting a summary of your request, your name and address and the subsequent reply on the Department's website for reference purposes.

Yours sincerely,

Liam Murphy
FOI Unit



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Freedom of Information Officer
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30th June 2005

Re: Foreshore License MS51/8/1133 and MS51/8/1136

Dear Sir,

I am applying under the Freedom of Information Act for all correspondence, including all application documents and engineers' reports relating to the issuing of a Foreshore License for Mr. Paul Raftery and Mrs. Janice Raftery of Walton Court, Oysterhaven, Co. Cork. In addition I wish to apply for copies of the Foreshore Lease and accompanying maps.

Yours faithfully,

Oliver Hart