

From: [REDACTED]
To: [REDACTED]
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: CEO - FOI request
Date: 27 July 2026 22:23:56
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[REDACTED]
I have spoken to [REDACTED] on this one and he has advised that given the email below, an email response should issue to Mr Mannus that the information requested is personal information and would not be released and that if he has any further queries on the matter he should take it up with the DAERA Data Protection Officer.

In the circumstances grateful if you could issue a reply from NIEA Information requests as follows:

“Good afternoon Mr Mannus,
Thank you for your email below regarding DAERA/26-358. As previously advised the information requested is considered personal information and would not be released.
If you have any further queries regarding this matter, you may contact the DAERA Data Protection Officer at dataprotectionofficer@daera-ni.gov.uk.
Kind Regards

NIEA Information Requests”

Happy for you to amend as you see fit.

Email and response should be saved to DAERA/26-358 container – AE6-26-358.

Many Thanks

[REDACTED]

From: philip mannus <phil_mannus34@hotmail.com>
Sent: 22 July 2026 15:05
To: NIEA Information Requests <NIEA.InformationRequests@daera-ni.gov.uk>
Subject: Re: FOI request

CAUTION – This email has been received from outside the NICS network. If you have any concerns, please report for investigation.

Good afternoon,

Thank you for your reply to my email requesting FOI information. While I can see that you may be unwilling to supply me with the names of those involved in the process of gathering the information requested, by way of accountability as to who made what decisions, a civil service number would suffice.

However, while I can see that you may refuse to give me the names of those involved in the supplying of the information this does not exclude you from supplying me with the other information I have requested and which you have stated you hold.

Can you now supply me with the information I have requested please.

Kind regards,

Phil Mannus

From: NIEA Information Requests <NIEA.InformationRequests@daera-ni.gov.uk>
Sent: 18 June 2026 16:06
To: philip mannus <phil_mannus34@hotmail.com>
Subject: RE: FOI request

Dear Mr Mannus,

Please find attached a response to your information request dated 22 May 2026 from Janice Riddell, NIEA Chief Executive's Office.

Yours sincerely,
Claire

Claire Barry | NIEA Chief Executive's Office

Department of Agriculture, Environment and Rural Affairs (DAERA)
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From: philip mannus <phil_mannus34@hotmail.com>

Sent: 22 May 2026 16:28

To: NIEA General Enquiries <nieainfo@daera-ni.gov.uk>

Subject: Re: FOI request

Good afternoon,

As you can see from the emails below, my FOI request has not been answered to date.

In line with the legal requirements of this act you should have replied by the 40th working day from the request. The legislation states 30 days but allows the organisation 40 days if the enquiry is on an environmental issue. I gave you the benefit of the doubt and allowed for the maximum 40 days by way of fairness.

As you have not replied within the required timescale, I am emailing you to ask for an explanation as to why you have not replied.

Can you please supply me with your reason within a reasonable timescale, by the end of next week.

Can you also provide me with the Civil Service number of the person who received the FOI and who their supervisor was. I would like a chronological chain of the names of the Civil Service person who dealt with the request as it passed through the organisation and the number of the supervisor in each case who was overseeing my request up to and including this request.

Thank you for your assistance with this enquiry and I look forward to your prompt attention.

Kind regards,

Phil

From: NIEA General Enquiries <nieainfo@daera-ni.gov.uk>

Sent: 18 March 2026 09:29

To: philip mannus <phil_mannus34@hotmail.com>

Subject: RE: FOI request

Thank you for your email.

I have passed on your request to the relevant business area for their attention.

Kind regards,

NIEA General Enquiries

nieainfo@daera-ni.gov.uk

From: philip mannus <phil_mannus34@hotmail.com>

Sent: 17 March 2026 16:39

To: NIEA General Enquiries <nieainfo@daera-ni.gov.uk>

Subject: [SUSPECTED SPAM] FOI request

Good afternoon,

I am writing to request a FOI in relation to the proposed construction of numerous wind farms around the village of Drumquin.

1. In relation to wind turbines of 180m and 150m, can you forward documentation that outlines the carbon footprint of each of these turbines. This should include the carbon footprint they make as a result of construction and the work that needs to be done to put them in position.
2. Documents that relate to the surveys post installation that show the impact on the bird populations on wind farm sites and how this has reduced or otherwise, their populations. Please include the reports and please include sites and species.
3. Documents in relation to the amount of times you have agreed with wind turbine companies that they may start development work during the bird season and please include documents giving the reason why.
4. Documents relating to the times the NIEA have enforced a prosecution against wind turbine developer.
5. Documents and emails between your department and Government ministers where policies and directions have been given to work toward a green target in relation to wind turbines around Drumquin.

In relation to all of the above, I would like the civil servant number or name of the staff member who created each document or oversaw it so that I have a record of the authors and decision makers.

Thank you for your help with these requests.