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**Schedule of Records for Freedom of Information request: FoI/Req/2018/304 Simon Carswell, Irish Times**

Freedom of Information Act (2014) for access to **records** held by this Department (DFAT), as follows:

- Copies of any correspondence since 1 June, 2018 between Department of Foreign Affairs officials at Ireland's Permanent Representation to the European Union in Brussels and representatives of Facebook, Google, LinkedIn, Twitter and AirBnB.
- Copies of any memos or notes of meetings between DFA officials at the Perm Rep and representatives of Facebook, Google, LinkedIn, Twitter and AirBnB.

SCHEDULE			
Record Description		Granted/ PartGranted/Refused	Section exempted under:
	<i>Google to Deputy Permanent Representative, Ambassador Joe Hackett</i>		
1	3 Oct, 2018 Email from Karl Ryan of Google to Deputy Permanent Representative (DPR) Joe Hackett seeking meeting for Google Senior Vice President Kent Walker	Granted	
2	8 Oct, 2018 Email from DPR Hackett to Jacinta Dempsey, PA of DPR Hackett,		
3	8 Oct, 2018 Response email from Jacinta Dempsey, PA of DPR Hackett, to Karl Ryan of Google	Granted	
4	10 Oct, 2018 Email from Karl Ryan to Jacinta Dempsey, PA of DPR Hackett	Granted	
5	10 Oct, 2018 Email from Karl Ryan to Jacinta Dempsey, PA of DPR Hackett	Granted	
6	10 Oct, 2018 Email from Jacinta Dempsey, PA of DPR Hackett, to Karl Ryan of Google	Granted	
7	10 Oct, 2018 Email from Jacinta Dempsey, PA of DPR Hackett, to Karl Ryan of Google	Granted	

<b>8</b>	19 Oct, 2018 Email from Jacinta Dempsey, PA of DPR Hackett, to Karl Ryan of Google	Granted	
<b>9</b>	22 Oct, 2018 Email from Karl Ryan of Google to Jacinta Dempsey, PA of DPR Hackett	Granted	
<b>10.</b>	22 Oct, 2018 Email from PA of DPR Hackett to DPR.	Granted	
<b>11</b>	22 Oct, 2018 Email from Jacinta Dempsey, PA of DPR Hackett, to Karl Ryan of Google		
	<b><i>Google to Aideen Cusack, attaché re Copyright draft legislation discussions</i></b>		
<b>12</b>	26 September 2018  Email from Karl Ryan (Google) to Aideen Cusack, PermRep Attaché on Copyright issues – requesting meeting on Copyright issues	Granted	
<b>13</b>	27 Sept 2018 Email response from Aideen Cusack PermRep Attaché to Karl Ryan of Google	Granted	
<b>14</b>	27 September 2018  Email from Karl Ryan (Google) to Aideen Cusack, PermRep Attaché on Copyright issues – requesting meeting on Copyright issues		
<b>15</b>	29 October 2018 Email from Karl Ryan (Google) to Aideen Cusack, PermRep Attaché Including a Position paper	Granted	
<b>16</b>	30 October Email from Aideen Cusack to Dept of Business, Enterprise and Innovation		Refused under section 30(c)  30. A head may refuse to grant an FoI request if access to the record concerned could in the opinion of the Head, reasonably be expected to:  (c) disclose positions taken, or to be taken, or plans, procedures, criteria or instructions used or followed, for the purposes of any negotiations carried on or being, or to be, carried on by or on behalf of the Irish Government

17	<p>26 November 2018 15:19  Email from Karl Ryan (Google) to Aideen Cusack, PermRep Attaché forwarding copy of positions sent to European Commission</p>		<p>Refused under section 30(c)</p> <p>30. A head may refuse to grant an FOI request if access to the record concerned could in the opinion of the Head, reasonably be expected to:</p> <p>(c) disclose positions taken, or to be taken, or plans, procedures, criteria or instructions used or followed, for the purposes of any negotiations carried on or being, or to be, carried on by or on behalf of the Irish Government</p> <p><b>Information obtained in confidence</b></p> <p><b>35.</b> (1) Subject to this section, a head shall refuse to grant an FOI request if—</p> <p>(a) the record concerned contains information given to an FOI body, in confidence and on the understanding that it would be treated by it as confidential (including such information as aforesaid that a person was required by law, or could have been required by the body pursuant to law, to give to the body) and, in the opinion of the head, its disclosure would be likely to prejudice the giving to the body of further similar information from the same person or other persons and it is of importance to the body that such further similar information as aforesaid should continue to be given to the body....</p>
18	<p>7 December 2018 12:15  Email from Karl Ryan (Google) to Aideen Cusack, PermRep Attaché seeking Irish view on an issue in Commission non-paper</p>	Refused	Refused under section 30(c)

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	<b><i>AirBnB meeting with Deputy Permanent Representative Hackett</i></b>		
<b>19</b>	20 July Email from Lorenzo Torti, Flint Global, to Deputy Permanent Representative Joe Hackett seeking meeting for Chris Lehane, AirBnB on various tech issues.	Granted	
<b>20</b>	23 July Email from Cogan Catherine (then, PA of DPR Hackett) to Lorenzo Torti, of Flint Global	Granted	
<b>21</b>	23 July Email from Lorenzo Torti to Cogan Catherine	Granted	
<b>22</b>	23 July Email from Cogan Catherine (then the PA to DPR Hackett) to Lorenzo Torti, of Flint Global	Granted	
<b>23</b>	23 July Email from Cogan Catherine (then the PA to DPR Hackett) to Lorenzo Torti, of Flint Global	Granted	
<b>24</b>	4 September Email from Jacinta Dempsey (successor PA to DPR Hackett) to Lorenzo Torti, of Flint Global	Granted	
<b>25</b>	4 September Email from Lorenzo Torti to Jacinta Dempsey, PA to DPR Hackett	Granted	
<b>26</b>	4 September Email from Jacinta Dempsey (successor PA to DPR Hackett) to Lorenzo Torti, of Flint Global	Granted	
<b>27</b>	4 September Email from Lorenzo Torti to Jacinta Dempsey	Granted	
<b>28</b>	4 September Email from Jacinta Dempsey to DPR Hackett	Granted	

	<b>FACEBOOK</b>		
<b>29</b>	18 October 2018 Email from Aideen Cusack to D/BEI reporting on <b>meeting with</b> Facebook	Refused	