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Cian Ginty

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Dear Mr Ginty,

I refer to your request, which you have made under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 for all relevant records held by this Department in relation to the following:

- "1. A copy of an unpublished report detailing collisions involving cyclists, as referenced by the Sunday Times (10/09/2017).
- 2. A copy of correspondence (emails, letters etc) sent from the Department of Transport to the RSA and any RSA response to this [this cannot be refused as it was already released under FOI, regardless of if that was the department or RSA who released it]."

Further to a phone call with you, and an email subsequently received from you, the second part of your request referred to only correspondence which related to the unpublished report as detailed in the first part of your request.

I have made a final decision to part grant your request. Redactions were made to Record 1 under Section 32 (1)(a)(iv) of the Act. This states the following: "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—prejudice or impair—the fairness of criminal proceedings in a court or of civil proceedings in a court or other tribunal."

A schedule is attached listing the records relevant to your request. The schedule describes each record, and indicates whether the document is released in full (granted) released with deletions (part grant) or not released (refused).

As you requested to receive the relevant documents by email, I have accordingly attached all records.

In the event that you are not happy with this decision you can make an appeal in relation to this matter, you can do so by writing to the Freedom of Information Unit, Department of Transport, Tourism and Sport, Leeson Lane, Dublin 2, or by e-mailing <a href="mailto:FreedomInformation@dttas.ie">FreedomInformation@dttas.ie</a> You should make your appeal within 4 weeks (20 working days) from the date of this notification, where a day is defined as a working day excluding, the weekend and public holidays, however, 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 body.

Should you have any questions or concerns regarding the above, please contact me by telephone on 01 6041643.

Yours sincerely,

Nicola O'Dwyer

**Decision Maker**