

I refer to your request for the following under the terms of the Freedom of Information Act 2014.

“The names of all the people (along with their job title) who have been appointed by the Minister or the Minister of State at your Department since their appointment (the Department of Education & Skills my inclusion)”.

The following tabular statements contained the name and grade of staff appointed by the respective Ministers at this Department.

Mr. Richard Bruton, T.D.
Minister for Education & Skills

Name	Grade/Title
Conor Quinn	Special Adviser
Patrick Cluskey	Special Adviser
Sean Divilly	Civilian Driver
John Murray	Civilian Driver

Mr. John Halligan, T.D.
Minister of State

Name	Grade/Title
Edward Cunningham	Civilian Driver
Gerard O'Brien	Civilian Driver

In the event you are not satisfied with the outcome of your request you can appeal the decision by writing to the Freedom of Information Unit, Department of Education and Skills, Marlborough Street, Dublin 1. An appeal must be made within **4 weeks (20 working days)** from the date of this notification. However, the making of a late appeal may be permitted in appropriate circumstances. An appeal is processed by way of a complete reconsideration of the matter by a higher ranking official at the Department than I as Decision Maker.

Yours sincerely,

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