



**An Roinn Gnóthaí Eachtracha agus Trádála
Baile Átha Cliath 2**

**Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade
Dublin 2**

Mr. Kieran Dineen
The Irish Sun
Bishop's Square
Redmond's Hill
Dublin 2

26 June 2014

Our Ref: **FoI/Req/2014/048**

Dear Mr Dineen,

I refer to the request which you have made under the Freedom of Information Acts 1997 and 2003 for records held by this Department, subsequently amended by email on 04 June.

As agreed, I am pleased to provide you with a financial systems report itemising all Irish Aid expenditure on goods and services above €1,000 by from 1/1/2013 to 30/05/2014. This includes the amount spent, and a description of the reason for the purchase.

If you wish to seek further clarification you may contact the Press Office at Press.Office@dfa.ie

Right of Appeal

Should you wish to appeal this decision, you may do so in writing to the Freedom of Information Unit, Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade, 76-78 Harcourt Street, Dublin 2. A fee applies for an appeal, with the exception of an appeal against the imposition of fees; the level of this fee has been set at €75. Payment should be made by way of bank draft, money order, postal order or personal cheque made payable to the Secretary General, Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade.

You should make your appeal 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. The appeal will involve a complete reconsideration of the matter by a more senior member of the staff of this Department.

Yours sincerely,

Anne Maher
Development Cooperation Division