

Statement of Policy on Confidentiality



Dublin Docklands Development Authority is a scheduled body under the terms of the Freedom of Information Acts 1997. We undertake to hold any information provided by individuals or others as confidential, subject to the obligations under law including the Freedom of Information Act, 1997. In effect this means that the Authority will release information where the public interest is deemed to outweigh the right of privacy of the individual.

The Authority requires that parties submitting information which they deem to be of a commercially sensitive or confidential nature should explicitly state that the information is of this quality and the reasons why it is considered to be such. While this will not guarantee that the information will not be released, it will ensure that they will be advised of the release and that release will be considered in light of the exemptions provided for in the act.