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## FOI Request

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Good Afternoon

I wish to make an FOI request.

The NSAI recently published a new website: <https://nsai-harmonized-standards-access.ie> which is described as a “*Portal for read-only access to national adoptions of specific harmonized European standards for European public access.*” The website appear to have been created in response to the judgment of the Court of Justice of 5 March 2024 in case C-588/21 P *Public.Resource.Org and Right to Know v Commission*.

Although this website is not hosted on the [nsai.ie](https://nsai.ie) domain. The WHOIS information indicates that NSAI is the registrant and that the domain name was registered on 3 May 2024 (<https://www.weare.ie/whois-result/?whois=nsai-harmonized-standards-access.ie>), two days after Ms Kerstin Jorna of the European Commission announced on LinkedIn that access to European harmonised standards would be made available on “readability platforms” which would be developed “with the help of the national standardisation bodies”. ([https://www.linkedin.com/posts/kerstin-jorna-12117328a\\_industrial-standards-are-a-key-feature-in-activity-7188550020093157376-hlvy?utm\\_source=share&utm\\_medium=member\\_desktop](https://www.linkedin.com/posts/kerstin-jorna-12117328a_industrial-standards-are-a-key-feature-in-activity-7188550020093157376-hlvy?utm_source=share&utm_medium=member_desktop))

The request is as follows:

1. Copies the NSAI file on the development of the website <https://nsai-harmonized-standards-access.ie> and its development of a “readability platform” to make European Harmonised Standards available on the internet
2. Copies of the functional specification/design brief given to the web developer
3. Copies of all correspondence between the European Commission and the NSAI in relation to the website mentioned in point 1 above
4. Copies of all correspondence between the NSAI and CEN (including its agents/representatives) and the NSAI and CENELEC (including its agents/representatives)
5. Copies of all records in the nature of a contract or memorandum of understanding recording the terms and conditions or mutual understanding between NSAI and external parties in relation to the content on the same website.
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I would like to receive this information as electronic copies of the original records

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