Cookies Policy

On some parts of our website we use Cookie technology. Cookie technology consists of small pieces of data or a small text file which is given to your browser by our web server when you visit our website. This data is stored on your browser. The cookie is sent back to our web server each time you visit our website.

Cookies are not computer programs and do not run on a computer like programs do. They cannot gather information or function on their own. They cannot collect any personal information about you or your machine and cannot gather data or information about what you do on the Internet. Cookies merely enable us to provide a more valuable online experience to you.

The Public Appointments Service uses Google Analytics to help analyse how users use Stateboards.ie. This analytical tool uses cookies to collect standard Internet log information and visitor behaviour information in an anonymous form.

The information generated by the cookie about your use of the website is transmitted to Google. This information is then used to evaluate visitors’ use of the website and to compile statistical reports on website activity for the Public Appointments Service.

For more information on what data Google collects, please see their privacy policy: https://policies.google.com/privacy?hl=en

While you can set up your Internet browser to disable cookie technology, we do not recommend that you do this since some parts of this website and our online services may not function properly, or at all.

The procedure for disabling cookies depends on the web browser that you have chosen to use.

Information is used by software programs on our website to create summary statistics which allow us to assess the number of visitors to the different sections of our site, identify what information is of most and least interest, determine technical design specifications, monitor system performance, and help us make our site more useful to visitors.

Security

We are committed to providing secure online services. As such, all interactions with our transactional sites are protected through encryption that complies with international standards. Our Internet servers are protected by firewalls and intrusion detection systems.

We have also employed the services of independent security experts to advise us on the security of our systems.