Our Ref: IM-FOI-2018-2787 Date: 20 December 2018



FREEDOM OF INFORMATION (SCOTLAND) ACT 2002

I refer to your recent request for information which has been handled in accordance with the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002.

For ease of reference, your request is replicated below together with the response.

Could you please provide a CSV file or pdf document containing a breakdown of the number of violations of the 20mph speed limit in force within North Queensferry, Inverkeithing and Rosyth, all Fife, in the period from 1 November 2016 to date.

1. SPEED RECORDED AT EVENT

2. SPEED CAMERA TYPE USED TO RECORD SPEED

- Average speed camera
- Police patrol car
- Static speed camera
- Mobile speed camera
- Other types (Grouped by type if greater than 10% of the total number of events, otherwise grouped under 'Other')

3. LOCATION OF OFFENCE

- Street name
- Disposal type (e.g. fixed penalty)

I can advise that our Safety Camera Unit do not operate in north Queensferry, Inverkeithing or Rosyth. Therefore section 17 of the above act applies, notice that information is not held.

Details of their locations can be found at the following link http://www.safetycameras.gov.scot/cameras/safety-camera-locations/east/fife/

With reference to road checks carried out by officers where vehicles have been recorded excessively speeding, I must advise that drivers can be pulled over and warned regarding their speed and not necessarily issued a fine, therefore, the only way to identify this would be to carry out a manual search of every Police Officers notebooks to try and extract this information. For this reason I regret to inform you that I am unable to provide you with this information as it would prove too costly to do so within the context of the fee regulations.

As you may be aware the current cost threshold is £600 and I estimate that it would cost well in excess of this amount to process your request.

As such, and in terms of Section 16(4) of the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002 where Section 12(1) of the Act (Excessive Cost of Compliance) has been applied, this represents a refusal notice for the information sought.

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Should you require any further assistance please contact Information Management - Edinburgh on 0131 311 3901 quoting the reference number given.

If you are dissatisfied with the way in which Police Scotland has dealt with your request, you are entitled, in the first instance, to request a review of our actions and decisions. Your request must specify the matter which gives rise to your dissatisfaction and it must be submitted within 40 working days of receiving this response - either by email to foi@scotland.pnn.police.uk or by post to Information Management (Disclosure), Police Scotland, Clyde Gateway, 2 French Street, Dalmarnock, G40 4EH.

If you remain dissatisfied following the outcome of that review, you are thereafter entitled to apply to the Office of the Scottish Information Commissioner within six months for a decision. You can apply online, by email to enquiries@itspublicknowledge.info or by post to Office of the Scottish Information Commissioner, Kinburn Castle, Doubledykes Road, St Andrews, Fife, KY16 9DS.

Should you wish to appeal against the Office of the Scottish Information Commissioner's decision, there is an appeal to the Court of Session on a point of law only.

As part of our commitment to demonstrate openness and transparency in respect of the information we hold, an anonymised version of this response will be posted to the Police Scotland Freedom of Information <u>Disclosure Log</u> in seven days' time.

