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Our reference: FOISA547

6 December 2017

Dear Mr Gallacher

### **Request under the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002**

Thank you for your request for information of 4 November 2017. Please accept my apologies for the slight delay in responding to your request.

#### **Your request**

*Under the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002, please supply the following information in electronic format:*

*Total ESF (European Social Funding) Funding from 2011-12 until the current AY 2017/18 and any transfer of funding to Skills Development Scotland for their College Employability Fund in real cash terms.*

*Please provide this per college and assigned college across the sector and additionally a separate breakdown per college region.*

#### **Our response to your request**

We believe that we provided this information to you on 30 October, in response to your request for information of 7 October (FOISA534).

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## Responses to Information Requests

If you are dissatisfied with the way in which your request has been dealt with, you are entitled, in the first instance, and within 40 working days of receiving this response, to request a review of our actions and decisions. Should you wish to do so, please contact us at the address at the bottom of this page, stating your reasons for dissatisfaction and what you require us to review.

If you remain dissatisfied following the outcome of our review, you are thereafter entitled to apply to the Scottish Information Commissioner within six months for a decision. You can contact the Commissioner through the online appeal portal:

Online appeal portal: [www.itspublicknowledge.info/Appeal](http://www.itspublicknowledge.info/Appeal)

Alternatively, you can appeal by post

Scottish Information Commissioner,  
Kinburn Castle,  
Doubledykes Road,  
St Andrews,  
Fife KY16 9DS

Email: [enquiries@itspublicknowledge.info](mailto:enquiries@itspublicknowledge.info).

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

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'R. Hancock', with a stylized flourish at the end.

**Richard Hancock**

Assistant Director - Strategy

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