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Your Ref:

Our Ref: 0706/2011

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Dear Mr Fallon

**FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NUMBER 0706/2011**

I refer to your original request for information dated 25 August 2011, our response on 20 September 2011, and subsequent correspondence seeking clarification dated 23 September 2011, which follows:

*Thank you for your helpful reply.*

*Regarding Q1 and Q2 I was hoping to calculate the annual calibration costs for the cameras but I now see that the data is pooled and quite complex. I am sorry to bother you further but it is best to ask for clarification in a direct way and, if appropriate, you may treat it as clarification or as a new request.*

**CLARIFICATION POINT ONE.**

*Please confirm the cost of single calibration of one Gatso Speed Camera for each of the past three years, with the same data for one Gatso Red Light Camera, so that comparisons and trends may be appreciated.*

The individual charges are:

2010-2011: Speed £658 + Courier

Red-Light £527 + Courier

2009-2010: Speed £609 + Courier

Red-Light: £452 + Courier

I must advise that in respect of 2008-2009 invoices this information is not retrievable and in terms of Section 17 of the Act, this letter represents a formal notice that information is not held.

By way of explanation, invoices received during this period only stated "Calibration, Repair & Postage" and as a consequence I am unable to furnish you with specific costs.

Further, I can advise that the costs ranged from £550 to £695 for speed calibrations and from £415 to £635 for Red-Light calibrations; the courier costs are typically £27.50.

I hope this information is helpful, however, if you are not satisfied with the way in which your request has been dealt with, you are entitled in the first instance to request a review of the decision made by the Force. Should you wish to request such a review, please write to Mrs Sheena Brennan, Disclosure Manager at the above address within 40 working days of receiving this letter.

Once informed of the Review Panel's decision, if you are still not satisfied, then you are entitled to apply to the Scottish Information Commissioner within six months for a decision. Contact details are; Office of the Scottish Information Commissioner, Kinburn Castle, Doubledykes Road, St Andrews, Fife, KY16 9DS, telephone 01334 464610.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your interest in Strathclyde Police. Should you require any further assistance concerning this matter please contact me directly on 0141 435 1217 quoting the reference number given.

Yours sincerely

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