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Our Ref: FOI 2011/83 - F0137141

Dear Mr Smith,

Re: Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002 – Request for Information

Thank you for your email which was received by the University on 23 March 2011 timed 09:08 hours, requesting the following information:

- "I have some questions relating to the 'eviction' on 22 March 2011 of students occupying the Heatherington Building.
- 1. Was an eviction notice or a removal order properly served?
- 2. Who in authorised these actions?
- 3. There seemed to be be a lot of police officers at the scene was police cooperation sought in advance of the 'eviction'?
- 4. Is the head of campus security a former police officer?"

University's Response

1. Was an eviction notice or a removal order properly served? No eviction notice was served.

2. Who in authorised these actions?

Action to request occupants to leave the building was authorised by the Secretary of Court.

3. There seemed to be be a lot of police officers at the scene - was police cooperation sought in advance of the 'eviction'?

Police cooperation was not sought in advance.

4. Is the head of campus security a former police officer?

The head of campus security is a former police officer.

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Yours sincerely,
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