



LETTER SENT BY E-MAIL ONLY

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Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002

Request

Please find below our response to your correspondence dated 13 September, in which you made the following request under the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002:

How much has the SPA spent on legal fees in relation to Chief Superintendent Pat Campbell who was dismissed and then reinstated?

Response

Your request for information has been considered and the Scottish Police Authority is able to provide the following.

In relation to the case in question, the amount which the Authority has spent on legal fees is £71,737.50 (excluding VAT which is recouped). These costs cover the period from 18 November 2021 to 9 October 2023.

Right to Review

If you are dissatisfied with the outcome of your request you can ask for a review. You must specify the reason for your dissatisfaction and submit your request by email to foi@spa.police.uk or by letter to Scottish Police Authority, 1 Pacific Quay, Glasgow, G51 1DZ.

After review, if you remain dissatisfied, you can appeal to the Scottish Information Commissioner within six months. You can apply [online](#), by email to enquiries@itspublicknowledge.info or by letter to Scottish

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

Should you wish to appeal against the Commissioner's decision, you can appeal to the Court of Session, only if you think the law has not been applied correctly.

An anonymised version of this response will be posted to our [Disclosure Log](#) in seven days' time.

