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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION (SCOTLAND) ACT 2002

REQUEST DETAILS

Please find below our response to your correspondence dated 11 January 2022 in which you made the following request under the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002:

Are you the risk management company responsible for Police Scotland?

If not, who is the risk management company for yourself? Who is the risk management company for Police Scotland?

RESPONSE

Your request for information has been considered and the Scottish Police Authority (SPA) is able to provide the following:

The Police and Fire Reform (Scotland) Act 2012 created the Scottish Police Authority (SPA) and set out its five core functions which are summarised on our website.¹

The Authority maintains its own risk management. The Corporate Governance Framework² provides a clear description of how the Authority works and outlines risk management responsibilities.

The business of the Authority and its committees are conducted in line with the above mentioned Governance Framework. The agendas and papers for public sessions are published on our website, in advance, and meetings are available to watch online via Livestream.³

¹ <https://www.spa.police.uk/about-us/>

² https://www.spa.police.uk/spa-media/dfjfqjrm/spa-corporate-governance-framework-final_approved-at-nov-board.pdf

³ <https://www.spa.police.uk/meetings/>

By way of assistance, we can confirm that Police Scotland are responsible for their own risk management. Information may be available by contacting Police Scotland at –

<http://www.scotland.police.uk/access-to-information/freedom-of-information/>

RIGHT TO REVIEW

If you are dissatisfied with the way in which your request has been dealt with 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@spa.pnn.police.uk or by post to Corporate Management Team, Scottish Police Authority, 1 Pacific Quay, Glasgow, G51 1DZ.

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