



## 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 11 July 2024, in which you made the following request under the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002.

- 1.The number of contracts you have awarded to supported businesses in each of the last five financial years (i.e. 2019-20, 2020-21, 2021-22, 2022-23 and 2023-24).
- 2.The cumulative value of your spend on these contracts in each of these years.
- 3.For each of these years, the number of contracts awarded to supported businesses that you have utilised by any procurement body of which you are member.
- 4.The cumulative value of spend by you on those contracts awarded by any procurement body of which you are a member in each of these years.

### Response

The Scottish Police Authority has considered your request and is able to provide the following.

The Scottish Police Authority does not hold the information requested.<sup>1</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> This represents a notice in terms of Section 17 of the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002 - Information not held.

Although the Scottish Police Authority is the named Contracting Authority for all SPA and Police Scotland procurement, the procurement function is performed by Police Scotland.

Information may be available by contacting Police Scotland at [foi@scotland.police.uk](mailto:foi@scotland.police.uk)

You may also wish to refer to [Police Scotland's Disclosure Log](#).

## **Right to Review**

If you are dissatisfied with the outcome, you can ask us to review our response. If you want us to carry out a review, please let us know within 40 working days. You must specify the reason for your dissatisfaction and submit your request to [foi@spa.police.uk](mailto:foi@spa.police.uk) or by letter to Scottish Police Authority, 1 Pacific Quay, Glasgow, G51 1DZ.

If you remain dissatisfied after review, you can appeal to the Scottish Information Commissioner within six months. You can apply [online](#), by email to [enquiries@itspublicknowledge.info](mailto: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.

This response will be posted to our [Disclosure Log](#) after seven days.

Yours faithfully

**SPA Corporate Management**

