



**Our Ref:** HQ23298

8 March 2024

Dear

Thank you for your request dated 12 February 2024 under the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002 (FOISA).

For reference, you requested:

**RF1:** "Can you confirm the number of FOI requests which have been refused/declined by the SPS over the past three years?"

**RF2:** "Can you confirm how many FOI requests the SPS has processed in total over the last three years?"

**RF3:** "How many of the total number of FOI requests over the past three years have been answered in full?"

We have now completed our search for the information you requested.

**RF1 Response:** There have been a total of 12 FOI requests refused across the SPS estate over the past three years.

**RF2 Response:** There have been a total of 1645 FOI requests processed across the SPS estate over the last three years.

**RF3 Response:** There have been a total of 840 FOI requests where a Full Disclosure response was given over the last three years.

This concludes our response to your request.

If you are unhappy with this response to your request, you may ask us to conduct an internal review, by writing to The Chief Executive, One Lochside, 1 Lochside Avenue, Edinburgh, EH12 9DJ. Your request should explain why you wish a review to be conducted and should be made within forty working days of receipt of this letter, and we will reply within twenty working days of receipt. If you are not satisfied with the result of the review, you then have the right to make a formal complaint to the Scottish Information Commissioner.

Yours sincerely

Freedom of Information Manager