Our Ref: IM-FOI-2022-2091 Date: 26 October 2022



FREEDOM OF INFORMATION (SCOTLAND) ACT 2002

I refer to your recent request for information which has been handled in accordance with the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002.

For ease of reference, your request is replicated below together with the response.

Follow up to request 22-1976

Is it possible to advise how many accidents & fatal accidents there has been on the A92 where you turn right across the dual carriageway into Portlethen coming from North direction.

Clarified as: Its the junction coming from Newtonhill direction crossing the A92 turning right sign posted for Portlethen into Bourtree.

Any information from 2010 - 2022

In response to your request, I can provide the following:

Road Traffic Collisions at the Junction Where the A90 Meets Bruntland Road, North East Division. 1st January 2010 - 30th September 2022 (Calendar Years)

Collision Severity	2011	2013	2015	2016	2017	2018	2021
Serious	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Slight	2	1	1	2	2	0	1
Total	2	1	1	2	2	1	1

Please note that a reportable collision is defined under Section 170 of the Road Traffic Act 1988 and describes the legal responsibility on those drivers involved to report the matter to the police. Where those involved exchange personal details, there is no legal requirement to report a collision to the police and this applies particularly to non-injury collisions.

As such, there may have been other collisions within the location of your request, which were not reported to Police Scotland, nor which required a collision report to be created, and will therefore not be included within the statistics.

All statistics are provisional and should be treated as management information. All data have been extracted from Police Scotland internal systems and are correct as at 03/09/2022.

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Specified areas have been selected using GIS Mapping (based on the Grid East and Grid North). Road Traffic Collisions located at (and near to) the junction where the A90 meets Bruntland Road (Portlethen), have been selected.

Should you require any further assistance please contact Information Management - Dundee at <u>foidundee@scotland.police.uk</u> quoting the reference number given.

If you are dissatisfied with the way in which Police Scotland has dealt with your request, 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@scotland.police.uk or by post to Information Management (Disclosure), Police Scotland, Clyde Gateway, 2 French Street, Dalmarnock, G40 4EH.

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 <u>online</u>, by email to <u>enquiries@itspublicknowledge.info</u> 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 Office of the Scottish Information Commissioner's decision, there is an appeal to the Court of Session on a point of law only.

As part of our commitment to demonstrate openness and transparency in respect of the information we hold, an anonymised version of this response will be posted to the Police Scotland Freedom of Information <u>Disclosure Log</u> in seven days' time.