Our Ref: IM-FOI-2022-1573 Date: 12 August 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.

I request the best email address to directly contact Inspector Allan Waddle of Motherwell police I request this under the FOI as I reported a serious matter to Motherwell Police and asked to speak with Mr Waddle but was given no help and was told to ring 101, who informed me this was not the correct proceedure, when 101 contacted Motherwell Police station they denied giving us this information and stated nothing serious had been reported

I attended Motherwell police station with my colleague Mr McKecknie, I look forward to receiving this information as soon as possible.

It is assumed that your request relates Chief Superintendent Allan Waddell, who is the Divisional Commander for Lanarkshire - <u>Lanarkshire Division - Police Scotland</u>.

Information with regard to contacting Police Scotland is available on our website: Contact Police Scotland - Police Scotland

https://www.scotland.police.uk/secureforms/contact/

Information is also available with regard to making a complaint.

Should you require any further assistance please contact Information Management - Dundee at foidundee@scotland.police.uk 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.

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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.