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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.

If an individual is given a traffic ticket for speeding or driving through a red light which carries endorseable points on a person's driving licence and a fine, is a record generated against the driver on PNC or the CHS system for these offences?

I can confirm that endorseable road traffic offences are not *ordinarily* recorded on the Criminal History System (CHS) or Police National Computer (PNC).

To clarify, when police officers are carrying out a drivers licence check on PNC the details of all endorseable offences will be available for the officer to read but this information is owned by the DVLA – i.e. we do not process it in any way.

On those occasions where a fine is unpaid, a report is submitted to the Procurator Fiscal in the form of a Standard Prosecution Report (SPR) which will be recorded on CHS / PNC systems.

If you require further assistance or 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 [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 Office of the Scottish Information Commissioner's decision, there is an appeal to the Court of Session on a point of law only.

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