| Police Scotland logo | Freedom of Information ResponseOur reference: FOI 24-0251Responded to: 19 February 2024 |
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Your recent request for information is replicated below, together with our response.

## I am writing to request information (under the Freedom of Information Act 2000) regarding immigration raids by the Home Office and Immigration Enforcement. I would be grateful if you could provide information on the following:

## Could you provide minutes of any meetings attended by yourselves and immigration enforcement between 1st January 2022 and 31st December 2023?

## Could you provide minutes of any local authority meetings discussing immigration enforcement between 1st January 2022 and 31st December 2023?

I regret to inform you that I am unable to provide you with the information you have requested above. Therefore in accordance with Sections 12(1) (Excessive cost of compliance) and 16(4) (Refusal of request) of the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002 (the Act), this letter represents a Refusal Notice.

By way of explanation, there are 13 divisions across Scotland and in total 304 Police Offices across the country. To answer your request, we would need to contact each divisional area to identify if they held any correspondence regarding this matter. This would take a considerable amount of time and the task would well be in excess of the £600 and 40 hours prescribed by the Scottish Ministers under the Act.

If you require any further assistance, please contact us quoting the reference above.

You can request a review of this response within the next 40 working days by email or by letter (Information Management - FOI, Police Scotland, Clyde Gateway, 2 French Street, Dalmarnock, G40 4EH). Requests must include the reason for your dissatisfaction.

If you remain dissatisfied following our review response, you can appeal to the Office of the Scottish Information Commissioner (OSIC) within 6 months - [online](http://www.itspublicknowledge.info/Appeal), by email or by letter (OSIC, Kinburn Castle, Doubledykes Road, St Andrews, KY16 9DS).

Following an OSIC appeal, you can appeal to the Court of Session on a point of law only.

This response will be added to our [Disclosure Log](http://www.scotland.police.uk/access-to-information/freedom-of-information/disclosure-log) in seven days' time.

Every effort has been taken to ensure our response is as accessible as possible. If you require this response to be provided in an alternative format, please let us know.