Our Ref:
 IM-FOI-2022-1741

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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.

I am looking for a duty log that may have been produced by Dumfries and Galloway Police covering the period of 21st-28th December 1988 when Pan Am 103 crashed on the town of Lockerbie, Scotland.

In terms of section 17 of the Act, I can confirm that the information sought is *not held* by Police Scotland.

We will of course hold other information which speaks to which officers were on duty at the relevant time - witness statements etc - but I consider it highly likely that the exemptions set out at sections 34(1) –Investigations and 38(1)(b) – Personal Data would apply to any such information.

Should you require any further assistance please contact Information Management 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 <u>foi@scotland.police.uk</u> 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.

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