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Dear Requester,

REQUEST FOR INFORMATION: 2023-695164

We acknowledge your request for information seeking:

i would like proof that the health minster has paid the 11k data bill

Your request was received on 8 December 2023 and has been handled in accordance with the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002 (FOI(S)A).

As FOI law provides a right to receive information, not documents we have set out below the information we hold within scope of this request. You can find more information about the right to receive information in the briefings section of the website for the Scottish Information Commissioner at the following link: [Briefings and guidance | Scottish Information Commissioner \(itspublicknowledge.info\)](https://www.scot.nhs.uk/itspublicknowledge/info)

The Scottish Parliament received payment of the sum of £10,941.74 from Mr Matheson's account by way of a BACS (Bank Automated Clearing System) payment to the Scottish Parliament's bank account made on 15 November 2023.

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We would welcome feedback or comment on how we handled your request. Please feel free to contact the Head of Information Governance by e-mail at foi.officer@parliament.scot

We are currently working remotely and so would ask you to contact us by email at foi.officer@parliament.scot

Please find below Annex A, which explains how we handle FOI requests and reviews.

Yours sincerely,

Ann Marie Partridge
Information Compliance Officer

REQUESTS MADE UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION (SCOTLAND) ACT 2002

How we handle FOI requests

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<https://www.parliament.scot/contact-us>

Review

If you are dissatisfied with the way in which we have dealt with your request for information you can ask us to review our decision and actions. You must do this in writing (or other permanent form) within 40 working days of the date of this letter stating the reasons for your dissatisfaction and we will respond within 20 working days of receipt. A request for a review should be made to the Head of Information Governance.

Post: Head of Information Governance
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E-mail: foi.officer@parliament.scot

Application to the Scottish Information Commissioner

If on the outcome of any review you are still dissatisfied or if we are unable to resolve any other complaint then you can contact the Scottish Information Commissioner:

Post: The Office of the Scottish Information Commissioner
Kinburn Castle
Doubledykes Road
St Andrews
Fife
KY16 9DS

Email: enquiries@itspublicknowledge.info

Telephone: 01334 464610

Website: www.itspublicknowledge.info

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Complaints

If you are dissatisfied with the way in which we dealt with your enquiry, then you may wish to raise the matter with Public Information and Resources.

How to contact us

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0131 348 5395 (Gàidhlig)

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