



Police Investigations &  
Review Commissioner

16 January 2017  
FOI 431

Dear [REDACTED]

## **FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST**

Thank you for your request received by us on 16 January under the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002 (FOISA) for:

*“1. Please provide the name(s) of the Commissioner and Director(s) of Operations at the Police Investigations and Review Commissioner.*

*2. Please provide the names of all roles/grades senior to Commissioner and Director(s) of Operations, along with the number of personnel at each role/grade.”*

The PIRC has considered this as a request under the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002 (“FOISA”). An application for information held by public authorities under section 1 of FOISA requires that a public authority release all information held, subject to any applicable exemptions. Public authorities have twenty working days following the date of receipt of the request to respond to an applicant. Therefore, the deadline for response is 13 February 2017.

Under Section 17 of FOISA, I can confirm that we hold this information.

The Commissioner is Kate Frame, and the Director of Operations is John Mitchell. Our [web site](#) lists these details and more information on each role.

There are no staff who are more senior in grade to the Commissioner and Director of Operations.

## **YOUR RIGHT TO REQUEST A REVIEW**

You have a right under FOISA to request a review of this decision. If you wish to exercise this right, you must do so within forty working days following the date of receipt of this decision.

Your request for a review must be in writing and you must specify your name and address for correspondence. You must also identify the decision that you wish to be reviewed. Should you wish to request a review, please address your request to:

**Police Investigations & Review Commissioner  
2nd Floor  
Hamilton House  
Caird Park  
Hamilton  
ML3 0QA**

Your review will be undertaken by an individual not involved in the original decision making process.

### **YOUR RIGHT OF APPEAL**

If you are dissatisfied with the outcome of a review, you have a right under the FOISA to appeal to the Scottish Information Commissioner. If you wish to do so, you must appeal to the Commissioner within six months following the date of receipt of the review notice. The Commissioner's contact details are as follows:

The Scottish Information Commissioner  
Kinburn Castle  
Doubledykes Road  
St Andrews  
Fife KY16 9DS

Email: [enquiries@itspublicknowledge.info](mailto:enquiries@itspublicknowledge.info)

Tel: 01334 464610

Online Appeal website : [www.itspublicknowledge.info/Appeal](http://www.itspublicknowledge.info/Appeal).

Yours sincerely



Information Officer