

Dear [REDACTED]

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION

Thank you for your e-mail to the Scotland Office of 28 January 2014.

You asked for the following information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000:

Since January 1st 2012, how much has the Scotland Office paid to external contractors / consultants / academics for work / advice relating to Scottish independence / the independence referendum? Please supply a break down by contractor / consultant / academic, the value of each payment, and the purpose of each payment.

Since January 1st 2012 the Scotland Office has not paid any external contractors / consultants / academics for work / advice relating to Scottish independence / the independence referendum.

If you are dissatisfied with the decision made in relation to your request you may ask for an internal review. A request for an internal review should be addressed to:

FOI Officer
1 Melville Crescent
EDINBURGH
EH3 7HW

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The contact details are:

Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane, Wilmslow
CHESHIRE SK9 5AF

If you have any queries about this letter please contact me.

Yours Sincerely

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