



**HEADQUARTERS**  
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**Our Ref:** HQ24179

6 November 2024

Dear

Thank you for your request dated 9 October 2024 under the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002 (FOI(S)A).

For reference, you requested:

**RFI 1:** "The total budget for prison food, broken down by each individual prison if possible."

**RFI 2:** "The cost of prison food per prisoner per day, broken down by each individual prison if possible."

**RFI 3:** "Details of the number of pre-prepared meals brought into prisons, what religious/dietary requirement they are to cater for, the cost of these meals, the name of the supplier and the supplier they are supplied to."

**RFI 4:** "Current menus for each of Scotland's prisons."

**RFI 5:** "Any record of the amount/proportion of food discarded in Scottish prisons, broken down by each individual prison if possible."

**RFI 6:** "The name of the current supplier(s) of Scottish prison food."

We have now completed our search for the information you requested.

**RFI 1 Response:** Please see table below:

<b>SPS Food Budget 2023/24</b>	
<b>Establishment</b>	<b>Amount</b>
HMP Barlinnie	£1,528,334
Bella Centre (CCU)	£33,280
HMP Castle Huntly	£220,465
HMP Dumfries	£297,118
HMP Edinburgh	£1,407,666
HMP Glenochil	£1,115,741
HMP Grampian	£615,544
HMP Greenock	£366,419
HMP Inverness	£166,866
HMP Kilmarnock	£780,660
Lilias Centre (CCU)	£49,920
HMP Low Moss	£1,096,862

HMP Perth	£973,569
HMP & YOI Polmont	£780,920
HMP Shotts	£912,600
HMP Stirling	£128,480
<b>Total</b>	<b>£10,474,444</b>

**RFI 2 Response:** Please see table below:

<b>Establishment</b>	<b>Food Cost Per Prisoner – Per Day</b>
HMP Barlinnie	£3.67
Bella Centre (CCU)	£5.26
HMP Castle Huntly	£3.50
HMP Dumfries	£4.27
HMP Edinburgh	£4.00
HMP Glenochil	£4.61
HMP Grampian	£3.93
HMP Greenock	£3.91
HMP Inverness	£4.05
HMP Kilmarnock	£4.71
Lilias Centre (CCU)	£5.30
HMP Low Moss	£3.92
HMP Perth	£4.33
HMP & YOI Polmont	£4.07
HMP Shotts	£4.55
HMP Stirling	£4.20

**RFI 3 Response:** An average of 415 pre-prepared meals to cater for Kosher diets are supplied by Bestway Wholesale Limited each month.

We do endeavour to provide information whenever possible, however, in this instance an exemption under section 33 (1)(b) – Commercial interests and the economy of FOI(S)A applies to some of the information requested. Information is exempt under section 33(1)(b) if its disclosure would, or would be likely to, prejudice substantially the commercial interests of any person.

While application of this section is subject to the public interest test, as pricing and contracts with SPS are commercially sensitive, it is felt the public interest is best served in ensuring that the fair and transparent procurement process is not put at risk by providing the information requested.

**RFI 4 Response:** Please see Annexes HQ24179 A – D – Sample Menus (below), which provide examples of a sample menu, a Halal menu, a Kosher menu and a Vegan menu.

**RFI 5 Response:** Under section 17 of FOI(S)A I can advise that SPS does not hold the information requested.

**RFI 6 Response:** Please see table below:

<b>Product</b>	<b>Supplier</b>
Bread & Rolls	Allied Bakeries
Meat & Poultry	McLay's Ltd
Frozen Produce	BFS Group Ltd T/A Bidfood
Pre-packed	Bestway Wholesale Ltd
Fruit & Vegetables	McLay's Ltd
Milk and Dairy	Graham's the Family Dairy Ltd

This concludes our response to your request.

If you are unhappy with this response to your request, you may ask us to conduct an internal review, by writing to The Chief Executive, One Lochside, 1 Lochside Avenue, Edinburgh, EH12 9DJ. Your request should explain why you wish a review to be conducted and should be made within forty working days of receipt of this letter, and we will reply within twenty working days of receipt. If you are not satisfied with the result of the review, you then have the right to make a formal complaint to the Scottish Information Commissioner.

Yours sincerely

Freedom of Information Manager

## HQ24179 Annexes A – D – Sample Menus

WEEKLY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY							
	CEREAL/MILK/ROLL/JAM	CEREAL/MILK/ROLL/JAM	CEREAL/MILK/ROLL/JAM	CEREAL/MILK/ROLL/JAM	CEREAL/MILK/ROLL/JAM	PORRIDGE, MILK	PORRIDGE, MILK							
SOUP	MINISTRONE SOUP	LENTIL SOUP	POTATO & LEEK SOUP	YELLOW SPLIT PEA SOUP	CARROT CORIANDER SOUP	ROLL & BOILED EGG	ROLL & BOILED EGG							
L U N C H	4 X FISH FINGER WRAP with TOMATO SAUCE & TOSSED SALAD	1 LF	BAP ROLL CHEESE BURGER TOMATO SAUCE	1 LF	CHICKEN MAYO TUB with TOSSES SALAD & PITTA BREAD	1 LF	SMOKED SAUSAGE HOT DOG ROLL with MUSTARD	1 LF	SPICY CHICKEN PIZZA SLICE	1 LF	WRAP with GRATED CHEESE FOIL TUNA MAYO TUB CRISPS/BANANA	1 V/LF	1 X ROLL POTATO SCONE LORNE SAUSAGE BLACK PUDDING & BACON	1 LF
	PENNE PASTA BOLOGNAISE with TOSSED SALAD	2	CORNED BEEF HASH	2 LF	CORNISH PASTIE with BEANS	2	CHEESE & PICKLE BAGUETTE	2	SMOKED MACKEREL with CORONATION PEACH PASTA MAYO SALAD TRAY	2 V	BROCCOLI CHEESE & EGG BAKE ONE POT with GARLIC BREAD	2	3 X CORN ON COB with ONE POT SIDE SALAD GARLIC BREAD	2
	1 X CHEESE WRAP WITH SALAD CREAM & TOSSED SALAD	3 V/LF	BAKED POTATO & BBQ BEAN FILLING	3 V/LF	QUORN SAUSAGE HEARTY HOT POT	3 V	SWEET & SOUR VEG ONE POT with BAKED POTATO	3 V	TOMATO & PEPPER PIZZA SLICE	3 V	TOMATO GARLIC VEG ONE-POT with GARLIC BREAD CRISPS/BANANA	3 V	1 X ROLL POTATO SCONE HASH BROWN QUORN & VEG SAUSAGE	3 V
	1/2 PINT MILK	1	1/2 PINT MILK	1	1/2 PINT MILK	1	1/2 PINT MILK	1	1/2 PINT MILK	1	BROTH SOUP & ROLL		BAKED BEANS	
	FRUIT JUICE	2	FRUIT JUICE	2	FRUIT JUICE	2	FRUIT JUICE	2	FRUIT JUICE	2				
VEG	TURNIP	SLICED CARROTS	PEAS/SWEETCORN	MIXED VEG	BAKED BEANS	TOSSED SALAD	LENTIL SOUP							
T E A	3 BRAISED LINK SAUSAGES with SLICED ONION & MASHED POTATOES	1	CHICKEN LEG with BOMBAY POTATOES	1 LF	MACARONI CHEESE with POTATO WEDGES	1 LF	PORK CHOP with ROAST POTATOES	1 LF	BAKED FISH & CHIPPED POTATOES	1	BREADED 1/4lb CHICKEN BURGER with CHIPS	1 LF	STEAK & SAUSAGE PIE with BABY BOILERS & BRUSSELL SPROUTS	1
	HAGGIS with MASHED POTATOES	2	ITALIENE MEATBALLS WITH PASTA SPIRALS	2	PORK GOULASH with POTATO WEDGES	2	CHILLI CON CARNE with BOILED RICE	2	Ind SCOTCH PIE with CHIPS	2	LENTIL & BEEF COTTAGE PIE ONE-POT & CHIPS	2 LF	ROAST TURKEY with CHEESEY MAYO PASTA SALAD TRAY	2
	SAVOURY SOYA MINCE with MASHED POTATOES	3 V/LF	VEGETABLE PIE with BOMBAY POTATOES	3 V/LF	COUNTRY VEGETABLE ONE POT with POTATO WEDGES	3 V	VEG LASAGNE with ROAST POTATOES	3 V/LF	CHICK PEA CURRY with CHIPS	3 V	2 X VEG SPRING ROLLS SPICY SAUCE & CHIPS	3 V/LF	SPICY BEAN BURGER with BABY BOILERS & BRUSSELL SPROUTS	3 V
SWEET	ICE CREAM TUB	1	SHORTBREAD	1	YOGHURT	1	CHOCOLATE BROWNIE with CUSTARD	1	CARAMEL SHORTCAKE	1	ICE LOLLY & BISCUIT PACK		CHOCOLATE SNOWBALL & FRUIT JUICE	
	FRUIT	2	FRUIT	2	FRUIT	2	FRUIT	2	FRUIT	2				

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BREAKFAST	MONDAY		TUESDAY		WEDNESDAY		THURSDAY		FRIDAY		SATURDAY		SUNDAY	
	CEREAL/MILK/ROLL/JAM		CEREAL/MILK/ROLL/JAM		CEREAL/MILK/ROLL/JAM		CEREAL, MILK, ROLL		CEREAL/MILK/ROLL/JAM		PORRIDGE, MILK ROLL & BOILED EGG		PORRIDGE, MILK ROLL & PRESERVE	
<b>SOUP</b>	MINISTRONE SOUP ROLL		LENTIL SOUP ROLL		POTATO & LEEK ROLL		YELLOW SPLIT PEA ROLL		CARROT & CORR. ROLL		PORRIDGE, MILK ROLL & BOILED EGG		PORRIDGE, MILK ROLL & PRESERVE	
<b>LUNCH</b>	4 X FISH FINGER WRAP with TOMATO SAUCE & TOSSED SALAD	<b>1</b> H	BAP ROLL HALAL CHEESE BURGER with TOMATO SAUCE	<b>1</b> H/LF	CHICKEN MAYO TUB with TOSSED SALAD & PITTA BREAD	<b>1</b> V	2 X HALAL LORNE HOT DOG ROLL	<b>1</b> H/LF	SPICY CHICKEN PIZZA SLICE (cheese)	<b>1</b> H	WRAP with 1 X CHEESE FOIL TUNA MAYO TUB CRISPS/BANANA	<b>1</b> V/LF	1X ROLL 2 LORNE 1 POTATO SCONE 1 HASHBROWN	<b>1</b> LF
	PENNE PASTA BOLOGNAISE (No cheese) ONE POT TOSSED SALAD	<b>2</b>	BAP ROLL with 3 SLICES OF ROAST BEEF	<b>2</b>	HALAL CORNISH PASTIE with BEANS	<b>2</b> H	CHEESE & PICKLE BAGUETTE	<b>2</b> V	S MOKED MACKEREL with CORONATION PEACH PASTA MAYO SALAD TRAY	<b>2</b> V	BROCCOLI & CHEESE EGG BAKE ONE POT with GARLIC BREAD	<b>2</b>	3 CORN ON COB ONE POT SIDE SALAD GARLIC BREAD	<b>2</b> H
	1 X CHEESE WRAP with SALAD CREAM & TOSSED SALAD	<b>3</b> V/LF	BAKED POTATO & BBQ BEAN FILLING	<b>3</b> V/LF	QUORN SAUSAGE HEARTY HOT POT	<b>3</b> V/LF	SWEET & SOUR VEG ONE POT with BAKED POTATO	<b>3</b> V	TOMATO & PEPPER PIZZA SLICE (cheese)	<b>3</b> V	TOMATO GARLIC VEG ONE-POT with GARLIC BREAD CRISPS/BANANA	<b>3</b> V	1 ROLL 1 POTATO SCONE 1 HASHBROWN 1 QUORN SAUSAGE VEG SAUSAGE	<b>3</b> V
	1/2 PINT MILK	<b>1</b>	1/2 PINT MILK	<b>1</b>	1/2 PINT MILK	<b>1</b>	1/2 PINT MILK	<b>1</b>	1/2 PINT MILK	<b>1</b>	BROTH SOUP & ROLL		BAKED BEANS	
	FRUIT JUICE	<b>2</b>	FRUIT JUICE	<b>2</b>	FRUIT JUICE	<b>2</b>	FRUIT JUICE	<b>2</b>	FRUIT JUICE	<b>2</b>	BROTH SOUP & ROLL		BAKED BEANS	
<b>VEG</b>	TURNIP		SLICED CARROTS		PEAS / SWEETCORN		MIXED VEG		BAKED BEANS		TOSSED SALAD		LENTIL SOUP	
<b>TEA</b>	2 X BRAISED HALAL LORNE SLICED ONION & MASHED POTATOES	<b>1</b>	CHICKEN LEG with BOMBAY POTATOES	<b>1</b> H/LF	MACARONI CHEESE WITH POTATO WEDGES	<b>1</b> H/LF	3 X FISH CAKES with ROAST POTATOES	<b>1</b> H	BREADED FISH & CHIPS	<b>1</b> V	Halal CHICKEN BURGER with CHIPS	<b>1</b> H/LF	HALAL BEEF PIE WITH BABY BOILERS BRUSSELL SPROUTS	<b>1</b> H/LF
	LENTIL DHAL ONE POT with RICE	<b>2</b>	CHICKEN IN ITALIENE SAUCE WITH PASTA	<b>2</b> LF	CHICKEN GOULASH with POTATO WEDGES	<b>2</b> H	Halal CHILLI CON CARNE with RICE	<b>2</b> V	CHICKEN BURGER with CHIPS	<b>2</b>	LENTIL & BEEF COTTAGE PIE ONE-POT & CHIPS	<b>2</b> H/LF	CHICKEN CHEESEY MAYO PASTA SALAD TRAY	<b>2</b> H
	SAVOURY SOYA MINCE with MASHED POTATOES	<b>3</b> V/LF	VEGETABLE PIE with BOMBAY POTATOES	<b>3</b> V/LF	COUNTRY VEGETABLE ONE POT with POTATO WEDGES	<b>3</b> V	VEG LASAGNE (cheese) with ROAST POTATOES	<b>3</b> V/LF	CHICK PEA CURRY with CHIPS	<b>3</b> V	2 X VEG SPRING ROLLS SPICY SAUCE & CHIPS	<b>3</b> V/LF	SPICY BEAN BURGER WITH BABY BOILERS BRUSSELL SPROUTS	<b>3</b> V
<b>SWEET</b>	ICE CREAM TUB	<b>1</b>	SHORTBREAD	<b>1</b>	YOGHURT	<b>1</b>	CHOCOLATE BROWNIE with CUSTARD	<b>1</b>	CARAMEL SHORTCAKE	<b>1</b>	ICE LOLLY & BISCUIT PACK		CHOCOLATE SNOWBALL & FRUIT JUICE	
	FRUIT	<b>2</b>	FRUIT	<b>2</b>	FRUIT	<b>2</b>	FRUIT	<b>2</b>	FRUIT	<b>2</b>	ICE LOLLY & BISCUIT PACK		CHOCOLATE SNOWBALL & FRUIT JUICE	

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	CEREAL/MILK/ROLL/JAM		CEREAL/MILK/ROLL/JAM		CEREAL/MILK/ROLL/JAM		CEREAL/MILK/ROLL/JAM		CEREAL/MILK/ROLL/JAM		PORRIDGE, MILK ROLL & BOILED EGG		PORRIDGE, MILK ROLL & BOILED EGG		
<b>SOUP</b>	MINISTRONE & ROLL		LENTIL & ROLL		POTATO/LEEK & ROLL		YELLOW SPLIT PEA		CARROT & CORIANDER						
<b>LUNCH</b>	4 X FISH FINGER BAGUETTE with TOMATO SAUCE & TOSSED SALAD	<b>1</b>		<b>1</b>	TUNA MAYO TUB with TOSSED SALAD & PITTA BREAD	<b>1</b>		<b>1</b>		<b>1</b>	WRAP 1 X CHEESE FOIL 1 X TUNA MAYO TUB CRISPS/BANANA				
											BROCCOLI & CHEESE EGG BAKE ONE POT with GARLIC BREAD	<b>2</b>	3x CORN ON THE COB WITH SIDE SALAD	<b>2</b>	
	1 X CHEESE BAGUETTE with SALAD CREAM & TOSSED SALAD		BAKED POTATO BBQ BEAN		QUORN SAUSAGE HEARTY HOT POT		SWEET & SOUR VEG ONE-POT with BAKED POTATO		TOMATO & PEPPER PIZZA PIZZA SLICE		TOMATO GARLIC VEG ONE-POT with GARLIC BREAD CRISPS BANANA		1 X SOFTIE ROLL POTATO SCONE HASH BROWN QUORN & VEG SAUSAGE		
		<b>1</b>		<b>1</b>		<b>1</b>		<b>1</b>		<b>1</b>					
	FRUIT JUICE	<b>2</b>	FRUIT JUICE	<b>2</b>	FRUIT JUICE	<b>2</b>	FRUIT JUICE	<b>2</b>	FRUIT JUICE	<b>2</b>	FRUIT JUICE	<b>2</b>	BROTH SOUP & ROLL		BAKED BEANS
<b>VEG</b>													TOMATO SOUP		
<b>TEA</b>	SPAGHETTI NAPOLI PREPACKED MEAL	<b>1</b>	SHEPHERD PIE PREPACKED MEAL	<b>1</b>	CHICKEN SCHNITZLE PREPACKED MEAL	<b>1</b>	ROAST BEEF PREPACKED MEAL	<b>1</b>	FRIED PLAICE PREPACKED MEAL		TOMATO OMELETTE PREPACKED MEAL		ROAST CHICKEN PREPACKED MEAL	<b>1</b>	
	The above choice may be changed at short notice owing to supplier availability		The above choice may be changed at short notice owing to supplier availability		The above choice may be changed at short notice owing to supplier availability		The above choice may be changed at short notice owing to supplier availability		The above choice may be changed at short notice owing to supplier availability	<b>2</b>	The above choice may be changed at short notice owing to supplier availability	<b>2</b>	The above choice may be changed at short notice owing to supplier availability		
	SAVOURY SOYA MINCE BOILED POTATOES		VEGAN PIE BOMBAY POTATOES		COUNTRY VEG STEW POTATO WEDGES		VEGAN MEAT FREE BURGER ROAST POTATOES		CHICK PEA CURRY CHIPPED POTATOES		2 VEGETABLE SPRING ROLL WITH CHIPS		SPICY BEAN BURGER BABY BOILED POTATOES		
<b>SWEET</b>	FRUIT SMOOTHIE	<b>1</b>	VEGAN YOGHURT DESSERT	<b>1</b>	SPICED BUN	<b>1</b>	FRUIT POT VEGAN CUSTARD	<b>1</b>	VEGAN YOGHURT DESSERT	<b>1</b>	ICELOLLY & BISCUIT PACK		chocolate snowball fruit juice		
	FRUIT		FRUIT		FRUIT		FRUIT		FRUIT						

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	CEREAL/ROLL/JAM		CEREAL/ROLL/JAM SOYA		CEREAL/ROLL/JAM		CEREAL/ROLL/JAM		CEREAL/ROLL/JAM/ SOYA		RATION PACK		CEREAL SOYA MILK	
<b>SOUP</b>	MINESTRONE SOUP		LENTIL SOUP		POTATO & LEEK SOUP		YELLOW SPLIT PEA SOUP		CARROT CORIANDER SOUP		CEREAL TOMATO & ROLL		CEREAL TOAMTO & ROLL	
<b>LUNCH</b>		1		1	VEGAN CHEESE TUB with TOSSED SALAD & PITTA BREAD	1		1	TOMATO RED ONION PUFF	1		1		1
	SOYA MILK CARTON										VINEGAR CRISPS & BANANAS X 3			
	1 WRAP VEGAN CHEESE TUB TOSSED SALAD ORANGE JUICE		BAKED POTATO WITH BBQ BEANS				SWEET&SOUR VEGETABLES WITH BAKED POTATO				TOMATO CARLIC VEG ONEPOT WITH GARLIC BREAD		SOFIE ROLL 2 VEGETABLE SAUSAGE 1 HASH BROWN MUSHROOMS	
	ORANGE JUICE		ORANGE JUICE		ORANGE JUICE		ORANGE JUICE		ORANGE JUICE		ORANGE JUICE		BROTH SOUP	BAKED BEANS
<b>VEG</b>	TURNIP		SLICED CARROTS		PEAS/SWEETCORN		MIXED VEG		BAKED BEANS		TOSSED SALAD		LENTIL SOUP	
<b>TEA</b>							VEGAN MEAT FREE 1/4LB BURGER WITH ROAST POTATOES							
	SAVOURY SOYA MINCE BOILED POTATOES		VEGAN PIE with BOMBAY POTATOES		COUNTRY VEG STEW WITH BAKED POTATO WEDGES				CHICKPEA CURRY WITH CHIPPED POTATOES		2 X VEGETABLE SPRING ROLLS with CHIPPED POTATOES		SPICY BEAN BURGER WITH BABY BOILER POTATOES	
<b>SWEET</b>	ICE FRUIT SMOOTHIE		VEGAN YOGHURT DESSERT		SPICED BUN		FRUIT POT WITH VEGAN CUS TARD		VEGAN YOGHURT DESSERT		VEGAN BISCUITS ORANGE ICE STICK		ORANGE JUICE VEGAN CAKE	
	FRESH FRUIT		FRESH FRUIT		FRESH FRUIT		FRESH FRUIT		FRESH FRUIT					