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Ref: HQ24313

28 January 2025

Dear

Thank you for your FOI request dated 22 January 2024 under the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002 (FOISA) for:

Request For information (RFI):

RFI 1: "How many men whose minimum sentence has been served remain in prison because of a OLR?"

RFI 2: "How many women whose minimum sentence has been served remain in prison because of a OLR?"

RFI 3: "How many prisoners who were meted out an Order for Lifelong Restriction (OLR) have been released from prison after their minimum sentence was up?"

RFI 4: "Of the OLR prisoners released how long did each serve beyond their minimum sentence?"

We have now completed our search for the information you requested and provide the undernoted response.

RFI Response 1: 186

RFI Response 2:0

RFI Response 3: There have been a total of 54 prisoners liberated who were OLR's at the point of liberation.

RFI Response 4: This information is not held.

This concludes our response to your request.

I hope this answers your request, however if you are unhappy with this response, you may ask us to carry out an internal review, by writing to The Chief Executive, Headquarters, One Lochside, 1 Lochside Avenue, Edinburgh, EH12 9DJ. Your request should explain why you wish a review to be carried out and should be made within 40 working days of receipt of this letter, and we will reply within 20 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

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