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Date
7 November 2024

Post Office
100 Wood Street
London EC2V 9ER

Your Ref:

Classification:
Public

Dear [Redacted],

Freedom of Information Request – FOI2024/01459

We are writing in response to your email received by Post Office Limited ("**Post Office**") on 5 November, which has been dealt with under the terms of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 ("**FOIA**").

In your email you have requested the information shown verbatim in bold below:

"I am looking to find out how many parcel deliveries containing drugs have been intercepted over the last three years, in Scotland.

*** Can you tell me how many parcels have been intercepted and/or detained due to intelligence they contain illegal drugs?**

*** Can you tell me how many parcels have been intercepted and/or detained due to intelligence they contain illegal items like knives?**

*** Can you break down the findings by year, into 2022, 2023 and 2024 to date?"**

We can confirm that Post Office does not hold the information you have requested.

Post Office separated from Royal Mail Group ("**Royal Mail**") on 1 April 2012 and the information you have requested will be held by Royal Mail.

Although Royal Mail are not subject to the FOIA, if you would like more information about this matter, you may wish to contact them directly. You can call Royal Mail Customer Services on 08457 740 740 or visit them online at:

<https://personal.help.royalmail.com/app/webforms/contact/c/310>

If you are dissatisfied with the handling of this response, you do have a right to request an internal review. You can do this by writing to the address above within 40 working days of receipt of this response stating your reasons for your internal review request or alternatively, by emailing information.rights@postoffice.co.uk.

If, having requested an internal review by Post Office, you are still not satisfied with our response you also have a right of appeal to the Information Commissioner at:

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

Telephone: 0303 123 1113
www.ico.org.uk/foicomplaints

Yours sincerely,

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information.rights@postoffice.co.uk
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