| Police Scotland logo | Freedom of Information ResponseOur reference: FOI 24-1553Responded to: 25th June 2024 |
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Your recent request for information is replicated below, together with our response.

## Under current Freedom of Information Legislation, please provide any/all legislation which prevents photography/videography of police stations from a publicly accessible viewpoint as frequently asserted by officers of your constabulary.

In terms of section 17 of the Act, the information sought is not held - namely, there is no legislation that explicity covers the scenario described in your request.

You may however find our ‘Auditors & Social Media Bloggers’ guidance document of interest:

[22-1519 - SOP/Guidance - Public Space Photography - Police Scotland](https://www.scotland.police.uk/access-to-information/freedom-of-information/disclosure-log/disclosure-log-2022/august/22-1519-sop-guidance-public-space-photography/)

If you require any further assistance, please contact us quoting the reference above.

You can request a review of this response within the next 40 working days by email or by letter (Information Management - FOI, Police Scotland, Clyde Gateway, 2 French Street, Dalmarnock, G40 4EH). Requests must include the reason for your dissatisfaction.

If you remain dissatisfied following our review response, you can appeal to the Office of the Scottish Information Commissioner (OSIC) within 6 months - [online](http://www.itspublicknowledge.info/Appeal), by email or by letter (OSIC, Kinburn Castle, Doubledykes Road, St Andrews, KY16 9DS).

Following an OSIC appeal, you can appeal to the Court of Session on a point of law only.

This response will be added to our [Disclosure Log](http://www.scotland.police.uk/access-to-information/freedom-of-information/disclosure-log) in seven days' time.

Every effort has been taken to ensure our response is as accessible as possible. If you require this response to be provided in an alternative format, please let us know.