| Police Scotland logo | Freedom of Information Response Our reference: FOI 24-1701  Responded to: 15 August 2024 |
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Your recent request for information is replicated below, together with our response.

**We also ask for incidence explanation/description** (on incidents previously supplied) - **some of the incidences are easy to understand but others like - Assist member of the public, Audible only, Communications**, **External force request etc are not.**

## 1. Abandoned/silent 999 call

## 2. Abduction/extortion

## 3. Audible only

## 4. Communications

## 5. Domestic bail check

## 6. External agency request

## 7. External force request

## 8. Fraud incident

## 9. Internal force request

## 10. Licensing

## 11. Police generated activity

## 12. Task incident

## 13. Unauthorised encampment

## 14. Other crime

## 15. Ad-20

## 16. Message for delivery

## 17. Police generated activity

In response to your request, please see below for a further description on the various incidents.

1. Abandoned/Silent 999 call

999 calls abandoned without explanation or call made without caller speaking.

1. Abduction/Extortion

This is a disposal code and not an incident type. However, it relates to incidents involving Abduction or Extortion.

1. Audible only

Audible alarms.

1. Communications

Nuisance, offensive or threatening communications including face to face confrontations.

1. Domestic bail check

These relate to incidents where police visit the victim of a domestic offence to pass specific information about the status of a suspect or accused and associated bail conditions.

1. External agency request

These relate to any request from external agencies (e.g. Hospital, Social Work, Procurator Fiscal’s etc) requesting police assistance.

1. External force request

These relate to correspondence and requests for enquiry from other Police Forces.

1. Fraud incident

These relate to fraud reports of all types.

1. Internal force request

These relate to correspondence and requests from within Police Scotland to help assist with enquiries (e.g. Address check for concern for person etc).

1. Licensing

Licensing issues at licensed/registered premises (eg: pubs, theatres, cinemas, betting offices etc).

1. Police generated activity

Any activity generated by Police (eg: spontaneous apprehensions/detentions, prisoner escorts).

1. Task incident

These are multi-task incidents which are created from master incidents to assist with the outcome of the latter.

1. Unauthorised encampment

An unauthorised encampment is one which is set up by any person without the permission of the landowner.

1. Other crime

These relate to incidents of definable criminal offence but not covered by any other incident code.

1. AD-20

This is a disposal code and not an incident type. However, it relates to incidents created in error.

1. Message for delivery

Police delivering messages to the public (eg: court citations and countermands, custody notifications etc).

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](mailto:foi@scotland.police.uk) 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](mailto:enquiries@itspublicknowledge.info) 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.