

Our Ref HQ 17100

Dear [REDACTED]

22 September 2017

Thank you for your request dated 30 August 2017 under the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002 (FOISA) for:

For both HMP Perth and Castle Huntly (please detail for each prison separately)

Please note that Culture Perth and Kinross are contracted provide a library service for HMP Perth. SPS does not hold the information requested. You may want to contact AK Bell Library in Perth.

- What are the top ten most requested books in the prison library?

*Response: Please see list attached for Castle Huntly.*

- What are the top ten most requested DVDs in the prison library?

*Response: Castle Huntly do not stock DVDs.*

- What are the top ten most requested audiobooks in the prison library?

*Response: Castle Huntly do not stock audiobooks.*

- In addition, please attach details of the policy under which prisoners can borrow books/DVDs/etc.?

*Response: Library loans agreement for Castle Huntly attached.*

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We have now completed our search for the information you request, and a copy is enclosed.

If you are unhappy with this response to your request, you may ask us to carry out an internal review, by writing to The Chief Executive, Calton House, 5 Redheughs Rigg, Edinburgh, EH12 9HW. 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

Head of Corporate Affairs