

FOI HQ15110

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## FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST

Thank you for your recent Freedom of Information request, which was received on 5 August 2015. This gives a statutory deadline for responding of 2 September 2015 under the terms of the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002.

You asked the following, and for ease of reference I have copied your original questions as follows. Our response is provided immediately following each question

1. *Can you provide the number of foreign nationals in Scottish Prisons for the past 3 years inclusive i.e 2012 – 2015*
2. *Can you please breakdown by year?*
3. *Can you please advise which countries they were from?*

	2012	2013	2014	2015
Afghanistan	X	X	X	x
Albanian	10	12	9	11
Algerian	X	X	X	X
American			X	X
Angolan	X	X	X	X
Australian	X	X	X	X
Bahamian				X
Bangladeshi	X	X	X	X
Belgian	X			
Brazilian				X
Bulgarian	X	X	X	X
Chinese	33	13	13	X
Congolese	X			X
Czech	X	X	X	X
Dominican			X	X
Dutch	X	X	X	X
Ecuadorian	X	X	X	
Egyptian		X		
Eritrean	X			
Estonian		X	X	X
Fijian	X			X

French	X	X		X
Gambian	6	8	X	X
German	X	X		
Ghanaian	X	X	X	X
Greek				X
Grenadian				X
Guinean	X	X		X
Hungarian		X	X	X
Indian	X	9	12	7
Iranian		X	X	X
Iraqi	X	X	X	7
Irish	14	11	9	14
Italian	X	X	X	7
Jamaican	9	7	6	X
Kenyan	X	X		X
Korean		X	X	X
Kuwati	X	X	X	
Latvian	7	7	11	6
Lebanese				X
Libyan	X	X	X	X
Lithuanian	20	27	13	23
Macedonian	X			
Malawian	X	X		
Maltese	X	X	X	
Mexican	X	X	X	
Morroccan	X	X		
New Zealander	X	X	X	
Nigerian	8	8	11	12
Other African	X			
Other Asian	X			
Other Commonwealth	X			
Other European	X		X	
Pakistani	9	11	11	12
Palestinian	X	X	X	X
Polish	42	58	62	60
Portuguese	X	X	X	X
Romanian	10	6	15	13
Russian	X	7	X	X
Senegalese	X	X	X	
Serbian	X			
Sierra Leonese				X
Slovakian	X	7	7	X
Somalian	X	6	7	6
Southern African	X	X	X	X
Southern Irish	X	X	X	X
Spanish	X	X	X	X

<b>Sudanese</b>	X	X	X	X
<b>Swedish</b>			X	
<b>Syrian</b>			X	
<b>Thai</b>			X	
<b>Turkish</b>	X	X	X	X
<b>Ugandan</b>	X	X		
<b>Ukrainian</b>	X	X	X	
<b>Undetermined</b>	X	X	6	X
<b>Uruguayan</b>			X	X
<b>Vietnamese</b>	20	21	13	9
<b>Zambian</b>			X	
<b>Zimbabwean</b>	X	X	X	x

In answer to questions 1-3 the table above give a snap shot of the number of foreign nationals in custody on the 31 January each year 2012 – 2015 inclusive. The ‘overall’ number of foreign nationals in custody across a year is not known as only the number of individuals under each nationality is aggregated on a daily basis not who they are. Please note that X refers to 5 or less.

#### 4. Can you please advise on the range of offences?

<b>Offence</b>
Abduction & Rape
Assault
Assault + Abduction
Assault, Abduction + Rape
Assault + Attempted Robbery
Assault + Rape
Assault + Robbery
Assault to Injury
Assault To Injury And Rape
Assault to Injury & Danger of Life
Assault to injury, permanent impairment and danger to life
Assault To Injury & Robbery
Assault to Severe Injury
ASSAULT TO SEVERE INJURY AND DANGER OF LIFE AND ATTEMPTED MURDER
ASSAULT TO SEVERE INJURY AND PERMANENT DISFIGUREMENT
ASSAULT TO SEVERE INJURY AND RAPE
Assault to Severe Injury + Danger of Life
Assault to Severe Injury, Danger of Life & Attempted Murder
Assault To Severe Injury, Disfigurement,Permanent Impairment & Danger To Life
Assault To Severe Injury, Per Disfigurement, Per Impairment, Danger To Life & Attempted Murder
Assault to Severe Injury + Permanent Disfigurement
Assault To Severe Injury, Permanent Disfigurement & Att Murder
Assault to Severe Injury, Permanent Disfigurement, Danger of Life and Attempted Murder
Assault To Severe Injury, Permanent Disfigurement, Danger Of Life And Robbery
Assault to Severe Injury, Permanent Disfigurement & Permanent Impairment
Assault to Severe Injury, Permanent Disfigurement & Robbery

Assault to Severe Injury + Robbery
Assault with Intent to Rape
Assault with Intent to Rob
Asylum and Immigration (Treatment of Claimants, etc.) Act 2004,S4(1)(a)
Attempted Extortion
Attempted Fraud
Attempted Housebreaking
Attempted Murder
Attempted Open Lockfast motor vehicle with intent
Attempted Open Lockfast Place with intent
Attempted Rape
Attempted Theft
Attempt to Defeat the Ends of Justice
ATTEMPT TO DEFEAT THE ENDS OF JUSTICE
Attempt to Pervert the Course of Justice
Breach of Community Payback Order
Breach of the Peace
BREACH OF THE PEACE
Case due to be reported in 2 weeks as a custody.,S106(1)(a)
Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982,
CON CRIMINAL JUSTICE (INTERNATIONAL CO-OPERATION) ACT 1990, SECTION 19(2)(b)
CON MISUSE OF DRUGS ACT 1971,
Conspiracy to Murder
Contempt of Court
Criminal Justice Act 1988,S93A(1)(a)
Criminal Justice And Licensing (Scotland) Act 2010
Criminal Justice (International Co-operation) Act 1990
Criminal Justice (Scotland) Act 2003,S22(1)(a)(i)
Criminal Law (Consolidation) (Scotland) Act 1995,
Criminal Procedure (Scotland) Act 1995,
Culpable Homicide
Customs and Excise Management Act 1979,S170(2)
Drive without a licence
Driving whilst unfit
Emergency Workers (Scotland) Act 2005,S1(1)
ENGLISH CHARGE
Extradition Act 2003 Section 8
Firearms Act 1968,S19(d)
Fraud
Fraud (Credit/Debit Card)
Fraudulent Scheme
Hamesucken
Housebreaking
Housebreaking with Intent to Steal
Identity Cards Act 2006 S25(1) (C)
Identity Documents Act 2010
Immigration Act 1971

Indecent Assault
Indecent Assault to Severe Injury
Intended theft - curtilage
Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005,S105(4)(a)
Malicious Damage
Malicious Mischief
Misuse of Drugs Act 1971
MISUSE OF DRUGS ACT 1971, SECTION 4(3)(b) OR ALT ATTEMPT TO PERVERT THE COURSE OF JUSTICE
MURDER
MURDER AND ROBBERY
Police and Fire Reform (Scotland) Act 2012
Police (Scotland) Act 1967,S41(1)(a)
Proceeds of Crime Act 2002,
Protection of Children and Prevention of Sexual Offences (Scotland) Act 2005,S1
Rape
Reckless driving
Reset
Road Traffic Act 1988,
Sexual Offences Act 2003,
Sexual Offences (Scotland) Act 2009,
Social Security Administration Act 1992,S111A(1A)
Sodomy
SOSA 2009 S2 SEXUAL ASSAULT BY PENETRATION
SOSA S20 SEXUAL ASSAULT YOUNG CHILD
SOSA S28 INTERCOURSE WITH OLDER CHILD
SOSA S30 SEXUAL ACTIVITY WITH OLDER CHILD
Terrorism Act 2000,S53
The Air Navigation Order 2009,A142(b)&241(6)
Theft
Theft by Housebreaking
THEFT BY OPENING A LOCKFAST PLACE
Theft by Opening Lockfast motor vehicle
Theft by Opening Lockfast Place
Theft by Opening Lockfast Place - ATM
Theft by shoplifting
Theft from person
Theft of motor vehicle
Wilful Fireraising

The table above shows the offences of all offenders currently in custody with a nationality that differs from British. Offenders may have more than one offence each. The table contains the offences for both convicted and untried offenders. This data is based on the foreign national population as of 7 August 2015 as historical offence data is not aggregated.

If you are unhappy with this response to your request, you may ask us to carry out an internal review, by writing 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