

FOI Ref: 2015/037

13<sup>th</sup> August 2015

# **REQUEST UNDER FREEDOM OF INFORMATION (SCOTLAND) ACT 2002**

Thank you for your request for information under the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002, received by email on 21<sup>st</sup> July 2015. Your specific requests and the relevant information held by the Park Authority are provided below.

1. A list of all incidents of criminal/anti-social behaviour within the national park in 2013, 2014 and 2015.

## 2. That information broken down into the date of each incident and what it involved.

We do not hold any information about arrests for most cases of criminal and anti-social behaviour within the National Park, this information would be held by Police Scotland. The Park Authority reports infringements of the Loch Lomond Byelaws and certain breaches of planning legislation. Information on these cases is given below:

Date of incident	Description of Incident
04/06/2013	Failure to carry sufficient personal flotation devices (*PFD) e.g life jackets or buoyancy aids on-board vessel
09/06/2013	On-board a Personal Water Craft (PWC) e.g. a jet ski without a PFD
24/08/2013	Failure to carry sufficient PFD on-board vessel
21/07/2013	Failure to carry sufficient PFD on-board vessel
07/07/2013	Travelling at greater than 11kph in a restricted area. Failure to carry sufficient PFD on-board vessel
17/07/2013	Failure to carry sufficient PFD on-board vessel
08/09/2013	Failure to carry sufficient PFD on-board vessel
21/09/2014	Travelling at greater than 11kph in a restricted area. Failure to carry sufficient PFD on-board vessel. Failure to display Annual Mark

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26/09/2014	Failure to carry sufficient PFD on-board vessel
29/09/2014	Unauthorised felling of trees
22/04/2013 12/05/2015	Unauthorised felling of trees Unauthorised felling of trees
30/05/2015	On-board an **PWC without a PFD
05/07/2015	On-board an PWC without a PFD

\*Please note that PFD is an abbreviation for 'personal flotation device'.

\*\*PWC is an abbreviation for 'Powered Water Craft', i.e. a jet ski.

Yours sincerely

Information Officer info@lochlomond-trossachs.org

#### Review Procedure

If you are dissatisfied with this decision, or the way in which the Authority has dealt with your request, you are entitled to require the Authority to review its decision. Please note that in order for a review to take place you are required to:

- Send your request for review in writing, setting out in full the reasons why you are requesting a review.
- Submit your review request within 40 working days of either the date on which you received a response from the Authority or the date by which you should have received a response under the terms of the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002, whichever is the later.
- address your review request to the Director of Corporate Services:

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The review will be handled by staff who were not involved in the original decision. You will receive notice of the result of your review within 20 working days.

If you are not satisfied with the response to your request for review, you can contact the Scottish Information Commissioner, the independent body which oversees the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002, at:

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