

EIR Ref: 2017-046

25<sup>th</sup> July 2017

# **REQUEST UNDER ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION (SCOTLAND) REGULATIONS 2004**

I refer to your request for information, received by email on 31<sup>st</sup> May 2017.

We have applied the exemption under Section 39(2) of the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002 as we have determined that the information sought in your request is environmental information. We are therefore handling your request under the terms of the Environmental Information (Scotland) Regulations 2004 (EIRs). In this case the public interest in maintaining this exemption and in dealing with the request in line with the requirements of the EIRs outweighs any public interest in disclosing the information under FOISA.

Your specific request and the response from the National Park Authority are provided below.

"1: I request that you provide all current and superseded documents relating to this planning application 2016/0151 Loch Chon

2: Please supply all communications and agreements with the contractor and the clerk of works or LLTNPA in regards to -

a. moving the locations of camping pitches.

b. pitch construction methods other than the surface scraping agreed to in the planning consent.

c. alteration of path routes and path construction methods.

d. agreements between contractor and the environmental clerk of works, other representative of LLTNP or the Planning Authority to enter into the greater environment with vehicles outside the immediate line of the paths being constructed where unnecessary environmental damage has occurred as a result of these actions.

e. provision of an emergency water supply for the first 10 weeks after opening of the site with details of what form the emergency water supply was delivered during that period."

### LOCH LOMOND & THE TROSSACHS NATIONAL PARK AUTHORITY

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In response to the first question all current and superseded documents relating to the planning application specified have been released, with the exception of correspondence to and from yourself, at Appendix A.

Email records and files were searched according to the criteria in your request and all documents which fall under the scope of your request are being released and are at Appendix B.

Names of third parties who have not given consent to release of their details, contact telephone numbers and email addresses have been redacted from the documents in both Appendices in accordance with Regulation 11(2) of the EIRs and Data Protection Principles.

Yours sincerely,

Governance & Legal Team Loch Lomond & The Trossachs National Park Authority

Appendices available on request

### **Review Procedure**

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

- Lodge a written request for a review 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 Environmental Information (Scotland) Regulations 2004, whichever is the later.
- Include your name, address for correspondence, a description of the original request, and the reasons why you are dissatisfied; and

address your review request to:

Governance & Legal Team Loch Lomond & The Trossachs National Park Authority National Park Headquarters Carrochan Carrochan Road Balloch G83 8EG E-mail: info@lochlomond-trossachs.org

Please note that links provided to information available elsewhere are intended to assist you. Requests for information held by other public authorities, and any complaints regarding access to such information should be addressed to that authority. These review procedures relate only to information which is directly under the control of Loch Lomond & The Trossachs National Park Authority.

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The review of your request 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 Environmental Information (Scotland) Regulations 2004, at:

Scottish Information Commissioner Kinburn Castle Doubledykes Road St Andrews Fife **KY16 9DS** Tel: 01344 464 610 Website: www.itspublicknowledge.info E-mail: enquiries@itspublicknowledge.info Online appeal portal: www.itspublicknowledge.info/Appeal

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