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REQUEST UNDER FREEDOM OF INFORMATION (SCOTLAND) ACT 2002

We refer to your request for information, received by email on 28th May 2025. The information you have requested is environmental information, as defined in Regulation 2 of the Environmental Information (Scotland) Regulations 2004 (EIRs). We have therefore applied the exemption in section 39(2) of FOISA and dealt with your request under the EIRs alone.

Your Request

1. *I am wondering if you continue to publish the annual updates on the Byelaws for Loch Lomond National Park. If so where are these published? Would you be able to furnish me with a copy?*
2. *What are the current management zones around Loch Lomond as the only available map shows proposed zones? Can you provide me with the confirmed approved maps around Loch Lomond?*
3. *Is it possible to have the date of the approval of the previously proposed management byelaws.*

Our Response

Please note that the National Park Authority has responsibility for the management and enforcement of two distinct sets of byelaws within the National Park. Firstly, it is responsible for the Camping Management Byelaws, and secondly, it is responsible for the Loch Lomond Byelaws. For the purposes of this request, we have assumed you are referring to the Loch Lomond Byelaws.

1. The National Park Authority does not produce or publish annual updates on the Loch Lomond Byelaws. On this basis, we inform you under Regulation 10(4)(a) of the EIRs that the information you have requested is not held. However, you may be interested to know that the Loch Lomond Byelaws must be reviewed at least every 10 years. Their most recent review resulted in the implementation of the Loch Lomond Byelaws 2023. If you access the following page of our website, you will find a paper discussing

this review (which was presented to our Board in January 2023):

<https://www.lochlomond-trossachs.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/01/2.-Agenda-Item-4-Loch-Lomond-Byelaw-Review-2023-Cover-Paper-FINAL.pdf>

2. We have assumed that you are referring the speed restriction zones on Loch Lomond. You will find a map of these at the following page of our website:

<https://www.lochlomond-trossachs.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/09/LL-6-kph-speed-limit-areas.pdf>

3. The Loch Lomond Byelaws 2023 were approved by the Scottish Government on 23 August 2023 and came into effect on the 01 November 2024.

Further Information

More information about the Loch Lomond Byelaws 2023 can be found on our website at the following link:

<https://www.lochlomond-trossachs.org/loch-lomond-byelaws/>

More information about the Camping Management Byelaws 2017 can be found at the following link:

<https://www.lochlomond-trossachs.org/things-to-do/camping/campingbyelaws/>

You might also find that our 'Visitor Management – Season Review 2024' contains some information that is of interest to you. You can access this document at the following link:

<https://www.lochlomond-trossachs.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/12/Visitor-Manangement-Season-Review-2024-final-.pdf>

Right to Review

If you are unhappy with our response, you can ask us to perform a review of the way we have handled your request. Further information on how to request a review, along with contact details for the Scottish Information Commissioner, are provided on the attached sheet.

Yours sincerely

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