



Loch Lomond & The Trossachs National Park Authority
Carrochan
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G83 8EG

Ref: EIR-2026-009
Date: 28 April 2026

Dear XXX

YOUR REQUEST FOR ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION

Thank you for your request for access to information held by the National Park Authority, which we received by email on 7 April 2026. We have processed your request under the Environmental Information (Scotland) Regulations 2004 and have provided our response below.

Your Request

I request:

- 1. The level of native woodland creation, and the level of non-native woodland creation, within the Park over each of the past 3 years*
- 2. The extent to which woodland creation within the Park has been achieved by natural regeneration or colonisation*

Our Response

1. The levels of native and non-native woodland creation within the National Park, for the past three financial years are provided below:

Financial Year	Total Woodland Creation Area (Hectares)	Native Woodland Creation (Hectares)	Non-Native Woodland Creation (Hectares)	% Native Woodland	% Non-Native Woodland
2023/24	37.72	29.4	8.32	78	22
2024/25	578.15	556.83	21.32	96	4
2025/26	177.09	165.3	11.79	93	7

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2. The extent to which woodland creation within the Park has been achieved by natural regeneration is detailed in the table below:

Financial Year	Woodland Creation due to Natural Regeneration (Hectares)	% of Total Woodland Creation
2023/24	Information not held*	N/A
2024/25	391	68
2025/26	32	18

*In line with regulation 10(4)(a) of the Environmental Information (Scotland) Regulations 2004, we advise you that the requested information is not held by the National Park Authority.

Yours sincerely

Information Management
Loch Lomond and the Trossachs National Park Authority

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:

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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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