

14 December 2020

Request under The Freedom Of Information (Scotland) Act 2002

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request dated 13 November 2020, in which you requested the following:

I am writing to you under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to request the following information from VisitScotland:

Totals for how much VisitScotland and its affiliates have spent at businesses owned or run by Donald Trump and/or the Trump Organization since January 2015.

I would like the information to be broken down by month as well as year.

I have provided the information below. As there are so few entries I have not created spreadsheets. Please note there was no expenditure with Trump Turnberry and the spend listed below relates to familiarisation trips organised with local partners for travel trade buyers.

Trump International

16/05/2015 - £68.75

25/05/2015 - £100.00

16/05/2017 - £144.00

14/04/2018 - £1254.50

I hope this information is helpful to you. If, however, you are not satisfied with the response or the manner in which your application has been managed, you may in the first instance contact our Chief Executive, Malcolm Roughead, whose contact details are set out below:

Mr Malcolm Roughead
Chief Executive
VisitScotland
Ocean Point One
94 Ocean Drive
Edinburgh, EH6 6JH
Telephone: 0131 472 2201
Fax: 0131 472 2223
E-mail: malcolm.roughead@visitscotland.com

If you wish to request a review of your application under either the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002 or the Environmental Information (Scotland) Regulations 2004, your request should be submitted to us in writing, or another permanent format (for example e-mail or voice recording), and be received by us within 40 days of the date of this letter. Any request for a review

should also set out, in as much detail as possible, the reasons why you are not satisfied with our response or the manner in which we have dealt with your application.

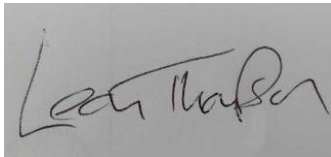
If you are still not satisfied with our handling of your application after we have responded to your request for a review, you have a right to apply to the Scottish Information Commissioner for a decision on whether we have dealt with your request in accordance with the Act.

The Scottish Information Commissioner may be contacted at:

Scottish Information Commissioner
Kinburn Castle
Doubledykes Road
St Andrews, Fife
KY16 9DS
Telephone: 01334 464610
Fax: 01334 464611
E-mail: enquiries@itspublicknowledge.info

You also have the right to appeal to the Court of Session in Scotland on a point of law concerning our response.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink on a light grey background. The signature appears to read "Leon Thompson" in a cursive, slightly slanted script.

Leon Thompson
Government and Parliamentary Affairs Manager
VisitScotland