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Dear ,

Our Ref: FOI-042-23

Thank you for your email to the Electoral Commission dated 19 April 2023.

The Commission aims to respond to requests for information promptly and has done so within the statutory timeframe of twenty working days.

Your request is shown below followed by our response.

Hi there. Can you send me the most up to date version of the Scottish National Party's constitution, which has been filed with the EC? And can you tell me the date it was filed with you?

Our response is as follows:

We hold some of the information you have requested.

This information is available to you by other means and therefore exempt under section 21 of the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA).

We disclosed the Scottish National Party's constitution in response to a request under the FOIA in September 2022 and you can see our response and the constitution here. We have not received a further updated constitution since then.

With regard to the date that constitution was provided to the Commission, we do not hold that exact information, but the constitution was added to the Commission's records on 14 May 2019 and would therefore have been received shortly before that date.

The Commission strives to be an open, transparent authority and I trust that this information satisfies your request.

If you are not satisfied with this response, please note that the Commission operates a review procedure, details of which can be found on the Commission website at: https://www.electoralcommission.org.uk/freedom-information-request.

Please also note that if you have exhausted all internal Commission review procedures and you are still not satisfied you have the right to appeal to the Information Commissioner. Details of this procedure can be found on the ICO website: https://ico.org.uk/.

Yours sincerely

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