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Date: 12th April 2007

Your Ref:

Our Ref: LALS/0000117

Dear Mr Minogue,

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION (SCOTLAND) ACT 2002 – REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

I refer to your email dated and received on 26th October 2006, our reference is LALS/0000117.

I am pleased to enclose the information you requested and hope that it meets your requirements. For ease of reference I have copied the numbering system you used in your letter. The questions being dealt with under freedom of information legislation were in the third section of your letter and these are listed below in quotation marks, accompanied by the answer to each one.

In addition to the above questions which are asked by me by way of clarification of the agreement I would also ask for clarification of the following general points regarding Fife Council's role as stewards of The Glen:

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(i) The Trust through various spokespersons have claimed that the cost of upkeep for the Glen is currently (2004/2005) running at £500,000.00, (half a million pounds). Can you confirm this figure as being accurate or provide me with the accurate cost?

ANSWER 3(i) The running costs for the Glen are currently budgeted at £699k. This figure is for the next financial year which is 2006/07 and it includes the costs associated with the Glen Pavilion (£60k), the Museum (£143k) as well as the Park (£496k).