NHS Tayside has now considered your request dated 26 July 2019.

NHS Tayside wishes to advise you that there are exemptions applicable to the information requested. Please refer to the exemptions section of this correspondence.

**Extract from Request** (NHS Tayside have added numbers for ease of reference)

1. “Can you please provide details of how many senior medical staff working at Perth Royal Infirmary have had their car parking permit withdrawn by NHS Tayside over the last year?
2. Can you also provide details of how many administrative staff working at Perth Royal Infirmary have had their car parking permit withdrawn by NHS Tayside over the last year?
3. In addition, can you please provide the reasons why these parking permits were withdrawn?”

**Response**

Please note where the values of statistics provided fall below 5 but are greater than 0, these statistics are represented by ‘<5’. Due to the small numbers of patients involved further detail cannot be provided as disclosure of the information may lead to the identification of individuals.

1. There has been <5 permits withdrawn from senior medical staff working at Perth Royal Infirmary within the last year.
2. There has been <5 permits withdrawn from administrative staff working at Perth Royal Infirmary within the last year.
3. The permits were withdrawn due to the applicants not meeting all criteria for the Perth Royal Infirmary car parking scheme.


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Under section 20 (1) of the Act, if you are dissatisfied with the way NHS Tayside has dealt with your request, you have a right to request a review of our actions and decisions in relation to your request, and you have a right to appeal to the Scottish Information Commission.

A request for an internal review must be made in writing no later than forty working days from receipt of this response and sent to:

Head of Information Governance  
Maryfield House (South)  
30 Mains Loans  
Dundee  
DD4 7BT

Or by email to informationgovernance.tayside@nhs.net

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Scottish Information Commissioner for a decision. The Scottish Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

Scottish Information Commissioner  
Kinfurn Castle  
Doubtedikes Road  
St Andrews, Fife  
KY16 9DS

Or via the online appeal service: www.itspublicknowledge.info/Appeal

If you have any queries about this correspondence, please contact:

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