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Dear

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION - PERFORMING RIGHTS SOCIETY

I write in response to your request for information in relation to performing rights society payments.

Question:

I am currently reviewing information about PRS for Music and have accessed the available materials published to date. However, I would like to ensure I have the most recent and accurate understanding of membership criteria, licensing, and any recent developments or policy updates.

Could you kindly confirm whether there is any more up-to-date information or documentation available beyond what I have currently attached? If so, I would be very grateful if you could share or direct me to the relevant resources.

Answer:

A total of £31,942.45 was paid to Performing Rights Society and Phonographic Performance Limited in the year 2024/25.

I hope the information provided helps with your request.

If you are unhappy with our response to your request, you do have the right to request us to review it. Your request should be made within 40 working days of receipt of this letter, and we will reply within 20 working days of receipt. If our decision is unchanged following a review and you remain dissatisfied with this, you then have the right to make a formal complaint to the Scottish Information Commissioner within 6 months of receipt of our review response. You can do this by using the Scottish Information Commissioner's Office online appeals service at https://www.foi.scot/appeal. If you remain dissatisfied with the Commissioner's response you then have the option to appeal to the Court of Session on a point of law.

If you require a review of our decision to be carried out, please write to the reviewer at the address at the top of this letter. The review will be undertaken by a Reviewer who was not involved in the original decision-making process.











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Yours sincerely

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