

**REQUEST UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION (SCOTLAND) ACT 2002 (FOISA)**

Organisation	2012-13 (£m)	2014-15 (£m)	2016-17 (£m)	2018-19 (£m)	2020-21 (£m)		What the Funding Delivers	Contact Details
					Spend to 8 January 2021	Budget		
Animal and Plant Health Agency	14.1	13.8	14.2	12.7	8.0	13.3	The Animal and Plant Health Agency (APHA) is an agency of the Department for Environment Food and Rural Affairs (DEFRA) working on behalf of DEFRA, and both Scottish and Welsh Governments. On behalf of Scottish Ministers they are the lead operation partner responsible for: identifying and controlling notifiable endemic and exotic diseases in animals and aspects of surveillance for new and emerging pests and diseases, scientific research in areas such as bacterial, viral, prion and parasitic diseases and vaccines; they act as an international reference laboratory for many farm animal diseases, facilitating international trade in animals and products of animal origin, regulating the safe disposal of animal by-products to reduce the risk of potentially dangerous substances entering the food chain. The budget to support the delivery of Animal and Plant Health Agency (APHA) activities in Scotland was devolved to Scottish Government in April 2011. We also provide funding to APHA to cover TB and Brucellosis compensation payments and cost of samples taken on fallen stock (cattle, sheep and goats).	ATI Enquiries Manager Animal and Plant Health Agency Woodham Lane New Haw Addlestone Surrey, KT15 3NB United Kingdom  <a href="mailto:enquiries@apha.gov.uk">enquiries@apha.gov.uk</a>
Scottish Rural College	5.3	6.6	5.0	4.3	3.0	4.6	To cover the cost of the Veterinary and Advisors Services programme which includes animal disease surveillance,	<a href="#">Freedom of Information Scotland Act (FOISA) - SRUC</a>

(2012-13 Payments made to Scotland's Rural University College and the Scottish Agricultural College)							control of zoonotic diseases, animal health and welfare management programme, bee health and wild bird disease surveillance.	Devon Taylor, Assistant Company Secretary, <a href="mailto:devon.taylor@sruc.ac.uk">devon.taylor@sruc.ac.uk</a> , 0131 535 4129
Rural Payments Agency (BCMS)	0	0	2.3	2.2	1.0	2.1	The British Cattle Movement Service, which is part of the Rural Payments Agency, is the organisation responsible for maintaining the Cattle Tracing System (CTS) which is a database of all bovine animals in GB. They hold a register of all cattle births, movements and deaths to which the Scottish Government contribute, on agreed activities, an annual cost.	Information Rights Team Rural Payments Agency PO Box 69 Reading RG1 3YD United Kingdom  <a href="mailto:irt@rpa.gov.uk">irt@rpa.gov.uk</a>
Scottish Agricultural Organisation Society	1.0	0.4	0.6	2.9	0.8	0.8	Provide guidance and training to farmers, critical control points (livestock markets and abattoirs) and others as required around livestock identification, registration and movement policy in support of the ScotEID database system. This also includes network maintenance, technical software support, maintaining and updating data transfer protocols, maintenance of data access rights and the maintenance and updates of desktop software. The funding also covers updates to the current web services and Secure File Transfer Protocols to enhance the data sent to the ScotEID database by the Cattle Tracing System.	SAOS Ltd, Rural Centre, West Mains, Ingliston, Newbridge EH28 8NZ  <a href="mailto:saos@saos.coop">saos@saos.coop</a>
Various Veterinary practices	0.8	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.4	0.8	The Highlands & Islands Veterinary Services Scheme is designed to permit crofters and other eligible persons to	

							arrange a visit by a participating veterinary surgeon for a modest maximum charge. The HIVSS scheme is carried out by 24 veterinary practices in the Highlands and Islands region. The Scottish Government provides Grant and Expenses payments to enable veterinary cover to be ensured for the livestock, and working dogs and equines used for agricultural purposes, of crofters and other eligible persons living in remote areas. The Grant payments are calculated annually and are dependent on the number of visits made and the distances covered. Expenses are also included which cover funding the ferry/boat, air travel and accommodation costs associated with a visit to clients in remote locations.	
MOREDUN	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0	0.2	To provide a partially chargeable diagnostic advisory service to the agricultural industry via the practising veterinary surgeon. To use this activity to monitor non-notifiable disease incidence and detect new and emerging diseases by maintaining a baseline of diagnostic submissions comparable to previous years which reflects disease patterns in Scotland. To cooperate with APHA to ensure a consistent standard of reporting in GB.	Richard Mole Moredun Research Institute Pentlands Science Park Bush Loan Penicuik EH26 0PZ E: <a href="mailto:foi@moredun.ac.uk">foi@moredun.ac.uk</a> T: +44 (0)131 445 5111
The Scottish Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals	0	0	0	0	0.2	0.2	Increased public awareness of puppy farming and unlicensed dealing, increased disruption of the illegal trade, more reporting by the public of suspected puppy farmers/dealers and to get people to source their new puppy or dog responsibly.	Scottish SPCA Kingseat Road, Halbeath, Dunfermline, Fife KY11 8RY  <a href="http://scottishspca.org">Contact Us   SSPCA (scottishspca.org)</a>

Food Standards Scotland  (2012-12 Payments made to Food Standard Agency)	0.3	0.07	0.1	0.2	0.09	0.2	Scottish Government funds Food Standards Scotland for the delivery and enforcement of animal health and welfare policy in approved meat premises in Scotland.	Freedom of Information Officer Food Standards Scotland, 4th Floor, Pilgrim House, Old Ford Street, Aberdeen, AB11 5RL  Email: <a href="mailto:openness@fss.scot">openness@fss.scot</a>
Health and Safety Executive	0.03	0	0.03	0.01	0.005	0.04	Delivery of licensing, inspections, investigations and enforcement of the Specified Animal Pathogens (Scotland) Order	Health and Safety Executive Redgrave Court Merton Road Bootle Merseyside L20 7HS
Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs	0.5	0.01	0.02	0.03	0	0.03	DEFRA are responsible for the UK Central Equine database (UKCED) which records the ownership of all equine animals in the UK. The Scottish Government contributes towards the annual costs of the system.	To contact us regarding policy enquiries please email <a href="mailto:defra.help@defra.gov.uk">defra.help@defra.gov.uk</a>  You should clearly label your query by subject area to help us allocate your enquiry to the right team.
National Milk Laboratories Ltd	0.008	0.007	0.007	0	0.003	0.012	Funding for a contract for laboratory services for the testing of bulk samples in relation to disease control surveillance for brucellosis.	Fox Talbot House Greenways Business Park Bellinger Close Chippenham Wiltshire SN15 1BN  <a href="mailto:milk@nationalmilklabs.co.uk">milk@nationalmilklabs.co.uk</a>
<b>Total</b>	<b>22.3</b>	<b>21.8</b>	<b>23.3</b>	<b>23.2</b>	<b>13.5</b>	<b>22.2</b>		