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Dear P Swift

Freedom of Information Act request – FOI-00016299

Thank you for your Freedom of Information (FOI) request of 13 June 2024. You requested the following information:

1. agreement for the sharing of
 - a. the UK's PNC LoS (VRM) records with other countries
 - b. other countries sharing information with the UK
2. policy/procedure when notified a vehicle stolen in the UK has been recovered abroad
3. policy/procedure to be adopted by the country recovering/possessing the vehicle. Should this not be a general (all encompassing, all country but individual to each) policy, I ask to be provided the arrangement insofar as it pertains to Lithuania
4. any UK Interpol office contact, phone number and email for liaison about LoS vehicles located abroad

Following a thorough search of our paper and electronic records, I have established that the information you requested is not held by this Department. The information would ordinarily be held by either West Midlands Police or Home Office, but given you have already approached these organisations, we can offer no further suggestions on whom you may approach for the information you seek.

Appeals procedure

If you are dissatisfied with the way we have responded to or handled your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review. These should be submitted within two calendar months of the date of this letter and addressed to the FOI Advice Team at FOI-Advice-Team-DFT@dft.gov.uk.

Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

If you ask for an internal review and are still not content with the outcome, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted via their online form: <https://ico.org.uk/make-a-complaint/official-information-concerns-report/official-information-concern/>

Yours sincerely,

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