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Re: Freedom of Information Act application

In reference to your application made pursuant to the *Freedom of Information Act 1991* (FOI Act), access was sought to:

“The police operation manual for mobile speed guns. Not stationary or red light but mobile speed guns. Including all information on where and when they can be used. How often they have to be calibrated etc”

South Australia Police (SAPOL) has located a document that falls within the scope of your request. The document is numbered and described in the following schedule. The schedule contains the details of the determination in compliance with section 23. In particular, note the grounds on which access has been refused, including the reasons which are contained in the schedule.

SA POLICE - FREEDOM OF INFORMATION UNIT SCHEDULE				
No.	Document Description	Status	Act	Reason
1	South Australia Police – General Order – TRAFFIC SPEED ANALYSERS - Version October 2020	Part Release	Clauses: 4(2)(a)(v) 4(2)(b)	A portion of the document contains information relating to the location of the unit responsible for conducting recalibration and housing of police equipment. I consider that disclosing the location could increase the risk of offences such as vandalism, trespass & burglary noting that disclosure of the location is a potential disclosure to the world at large and the location is currently



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				<p>not made available to the public.</p> <p>In my view the need to preserve the security of a police complex is of great importance to ensure the effective completion of duties by police officers and general safety of the public.</p> <p>I have formed the view that disclosure of such information would, on balance, be contrary to the public interest.</p>
<p>CLAUSES FOR REFUSAL</p> <p>Clause 4(2)(a)(v) of Schedule 1 of the FOI Act which states:</p> <p><i>“A document is an exempt document if it contains matter the disclosure of which could reasonably be expected to endanger the security of any building, structure or vehicle.”</i></p> <p>Clause 4(2)(b) of Schedule 1 of the FOI Act which states:</p> <p><i>“A document is an exempt document if it contains matter the disclosure of which would, on balance, be contrary to the public interest.”</i></p>				

Your rights to review

If you are dissatisfied with this determination, you are entitled to exercise your right of internal review in accordance with section 29(1) of the FOI Act by completing a PD362 Application for Internal Review form, which can be downloaded from <https://www.police.sa.gov.au/services-and-events/freedom-of-information> or available upon request at your nearest police station. Alternatively, an application may be made in writing to the SAPOL Freedom of Information Unit. This application must be lodged within 30 (calendar) days after you receive this letter with a fee of \$39.00, if applicable.

Yours sincerely



Sergeant Kelly Johnson
Freedom of Information Unit
 (Accredited Freedom of Information Officer)

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