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Information Commissioner Issues Decision 05/2022

Hamilton, Bermuda. On 17 February 2022, the Information Commissioner issued [Decision 05/2022, Bermuda Police Service \(BPS\)](#). The Information Commissioner found that the BPS did not issue an internal review decision to the applicant within the 6-week timeline set out in the PATI Act. However, during the Information Commissioner's independent review, the BPS issued an internal review decision. As a result, the Information Commissioner does not require the BPS to take any further action with respect to [Decision 05/2022](#).

[Decision 05/2022](#) is available on www.ico.bm.

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Editor's Notes:

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