

**Information Management Section
IT Services Branch**

2nd April 2008

Dear XXXX

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: XXXX

I write in connection with your request for information dated 01/02/2008, which was received by Greater Manchester Police on 01/02/2008. I note you seek access to the following:
In the calendar year 2007

- **1. How many Police Community Support Officers were employed by Greater Manchester Police in total?**
- **2. How many PCSOs were assigned to each of the 10 boroughs?**
- **3. How much did PCSOs cost (including employment and training costs) in total for all 10 boroughs?**
- **4. Where does the funding for PCSOs come from?**
- **5. How many fixed penalty notices (fines) were issued by GMP's PCSOs (a) in total (b) in each of the 10 boroughs?**
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Following receipt of your request searches were conducted within Greater Manchester Police to locate information relevant to your request. I can confirm that the information you have requested is held by Greater Manchester Police.

Division	Total
North Manchester	77
Metropolitan	55
South Manchester	48
Salford	94
Tameside	50
Stockport	65
Bolton	66
Wigan	73
Trafford	47
Bury	46
Rochdale	54
Oldham	74
PCSO Traffic Wardens	33
Force Total	782

The total expenditure forecast for PCSO costs in 2007/08 is £22m. £16m of this forecast expenditure will be met by the Home Office specific grant for PCSOs. £0.25m will be met by

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grants from local crime and disorder partners and £5.75m will be met from within the Police Authority budget. These figures assume full occupancy of the 828 PCSO posts throughout the year.

PNDs issued by GMP PCSOs by borough in 2007

North/South Mcr & Metropolitan	6
Salford	21
Tameside	6
Stockport	17
Bolton	13
Wigan	22
Trafford	1
Bury	5
Rochdale	8
Oldham	2
Force Total	101

Please note a breakdown for North Manchester/South Manchester & Metropolitan is not available individually.

Complaint Rights

Your attention is drawn to the attached sheet, which details your right of complaint.

Should you have any further inquiries concerning this matter, please write or contact me on telephone number 0161 856 2511 quoting the reference number above.

Yours Sincerely,