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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: 01/FOI/23/002280/D

I write in connection with your request for information dated 04/05/2023, received by Greater Manchester Police (GMP) for the following information:

- 1. Please can I have the written outcomes/decision for all Misconduct Hearings regarding Officers of GMP from 01 January 2018 to 30 April 2023.*
- 2. Please can I have a list of all written outcomes/decision for all Misconduct Hearings regarding Officers of GMP from 01 January 2018 to 30 April 2023 in which David Tyme was the Legally Qualified Chair.*

Result of Searches

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. However, I am not obliged to supply all the information you have requested as exemptions apply.

When refusing to provide such information because an exemption applies, Section 17(1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 requires GMP, to provide you - the applicant - with a notice which: (a) states that fact, (b) specifies the exemption in question and (c) states (if that would not otherwise be apparent) why the exemption applies.

The information requested in question 1 is exempt under **Section 21 – Information accessible to applicant by other means**. The information referred to is already available in the Public Domain.

Misconduct outcomes are [published on the GMP website](#) for the public to view. Under the old misconduct regulations (pre-February 2020) police forces were not obliged to publish full details. Now full details are published for a set amount of time. GMP have had 128 Misconduct Proceedings in the period specified – although some of these will have been held in private.

Regarding question 2, this information is not held by Greater Manchester Police. The Legally Qualified Chair is a position appointed by the Greater Manchester Combined Authority, not GMP. Please contact GMCA to obtain this info.