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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: 01/FOI/24/013136/A

I write in connection with your request for information dated 19/08/2024, received by Greater Manchester Police (GMP) for the following information:

I'd like to know the following:

1. *What does the usual police uniform of officers include?*
2. *Do all police now have to wear a body camera?*
3. *Do all police carry ID? I'd suggest making a bar code that can be scanned with a persons mobile phone to link to their force and station and their photo and confirmed identity. (Just to get with the times!)*
4. *If a police officer attends anywhere do all officers have to make notes on what has happened? Or do they have to counter sign and date another officers log?*
5. *Do electronic systems keep a note of the date and time and officer that enters or views any information on them?*
6. *If a police vehicle is required is there a camera in the area where the vehicle keys are kept and is a signature required to check out the vehicle?*
7. *Do police have analysts assess their systems to ensure no room for abuse of position?*
8. *When topping up vehicles is there a special card to use that links with a specific vehicle?*
9. *Are police allowed to go on detours doing personal things in police vehicles?*
10. *Do police have to log their mileage at the start and end of use of the vehicle?*
11. *Is there a camera in the front window and in the cell area at the back of police vans, to ensure correct treatment of the general public?*
12. *Is it currently practice to arrest members of the public for turning up to see their kids which is court ordered and is it protocol to take them to hospital?*
13. *Is it legal for an untrained in medical areas officer to arrest a member of the public.*
14. *Is there a reason why a police log may have lots of different officers commenting that a person has mental illness yet they have never met that person?*
15. *Does anti corruption exist in GMP?*

16. *Are there two police officers named Blobbey and McGonigal in GMP?*
17. *Are there specially trained child protection officers within GMP who review EVERY referral particularly from Leigh and Wigan Police?*
18. *Do you employ accountants trained in auditing and incomplete records within anti corruption?*
19. *Does the mayor of Manchester have an overseeing body?*
20. *Is there a reason the Mayor of Manchester ignored child abuse?*

I care about the safety and well being of innocent children and adults.

Result of Searches

Greater Manchester Police (GMP) does not hold the information that you have requested in an easily retrievable format. To provide the data requested in question 6 would involve a manual review of the vehicle key storage arrangements at each police building. Given the number of buildings and key storage locations it would take in excess of 18 hours to determine if cameras are present.

Therefore, to comply with the whole of your request the process would take over 18 hours' work which exceeds the appropriate limit of £450.00, the amount to which we are legally required to respond.

As per section 12(1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000, the cost of providing you with the information is therefore above the amount to which we are legally required to respond i.e. the cost of locating and retrieving the information exceeds the 'appropriate level' as stated in the Freedom of Information (Fees and Appropriate Limit) Regulations 2004.

In accordance with the Freedom of Information Act 2000, this letter acts as a Refusal Notice.

GMP is obligated, pursuant to section 16(1) of the Act to provide you with advice and assistance on refining your request to bring compliance within the fees limit. In order for the force to keep this within the fees limit, the information that you are requesting will need to specify a particular station or district in question 6. The resulting response cannot be guaranteed at this point as it will be dependent upon the number of records that fall within the scope of any new request, as they would still have to be manually assessed.

Should you wish to refine and resubmit your request in line with the advice above please respond to freedomofinformation@gmp.police.uk