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Our ref: 01/FOI/25/014170/F

**FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: 01/FOI/25/014170/F**

I write in connection with your request for information dated 07/02/2025, received by Greater Manchester Police (GMP) for the following information:

- 1. List, address of all current and former police buildings, owned or leased, where they are located etc and if they have specialists functions such as a control room, front desk or custody facility (operational or non operational)?*
- 2. Have you got any photographs or building floor plans of the former Plant Hill Police Station, Collyhurst Police Station, Salford Crescent Police Station and Didsbury Village Police Station, Stalybridge Police Station on Corporation street and Platt Lane Police Station in South Manchester and of your former Headquarters Chester House and site?*

**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 requested information is exempt under **Section 21 – Information accessible to applicant by other means** and **Section 40(2) – Personal Information**.

Information on the location of our current police stations can be found [here](#).

Information relating to former police buildings is exempt under Section 40(2). These buildings are no longer owned by GMP, therefore the details you have requested are now the personal information of other people.

Where Section 40 has been used, this represents information that identifies a living individual, to disclose this information would breach the principles of the GDPR and the Data Protection Act 2018. Personal data is defined by Article 4 of the GDPR and Part 1 of the Data Protection Act 2018 and means any information relating to an identified or identifiable natural person ('data subject'). An identified natural person is one who can be identified directly or indirectly from that data.

In accordance with the Section 17 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000, this letter acts as a Refusal Notice.