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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: 01/FOI/25/014414/G

I write in connection with your request for information dated 16/03/2025, received by Greater Manchester Police (GMP) for the following information:

- 1. I would like a full list of all suppliers, contractors and maintenance providers, also value of contracts.***
- 2. The list must include, company name, contact name, email addresses, contact number and mobile number where available.***

Result of Searches

Following receipt of your request searches were conducted within Greater Manchester Police (GMP) to locate the requested information and I can confirm the information requested is held by GMP.

However, I am not obliged to supply 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.

This request is exempt under **section 21 – Information accessible to applicant by other means**. The response to this request is available online. Please follow the links below.

<https://www.gmp.police.uk/police-forces/greater-manchester-police/areas/greater-manchester-force-content/au/about-us/tenders-and-business/>

<https://sell2.in-tend.co.uk/blpd/contracts>

Data from question 2 regarding “*contact name, email addresses, contact number and mobile number*” is exempted from disclosure under **Section 40(2) Personal Information** – this information constitutes personal data of an identifiable living individual/s, and to disclose this information would breach the principles of the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) and the Data Protection Act 2018. Personal data is defined by Section 1 of the Data Protection Act 2018 and means data that relates to an individual who can be identified directly or indirectly from that data.

Section 40 is an absolute exemption with no requirement to complete a public interest test.